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Grayling man drowns

► Body recovered from AuSable River on Friday, May 25

by Cheryl Ruley
Staff Writer

The body of a 45-year-old Grayling man was recovered from the chilly mainstream waters of the AuSable River last Friday, an apparent victim of accidental drowning.

Crawford County Sheriff Dave Lovely said Joseph G. Swanic lived in the area. On Thursday night, May 24 at approximately 10 p.m., canoers reported a possible drowning to 911 Central Dispatch in Roscommon County, who relayed the information to Crawford officials.

Sheriff Lovely and some of his deputies traveled to the area of Wakeley Bridge and conducted a night search from the bridge to Townline Road, but found nothing.

The search resumed the next morning, May 25, after Lovely located the reporting party, who led the search party to location where the victim was last seen.

Marine Division officers and deputies trained in underwater rescue recovered Swanic's body a short time later in four to five feet of water, just as he was reported missing by his family.

FISH SURVEY CONDUCTED ON LAKE MARGRETHE

DNR's Fisheries Division looks at size and health of fish in local lake

by Caleb Casey
Staff Writer

Fisheries Division crews from the Department of Natural Resources' Grayling Field Office conducted a fish survey on Lake Margrethe last week to check the size and health of various species of fish found within the lake.

For the most part, the DNR crews practiced "catch and release" in gathering information on Margrethe's fish population. They used fyke nets and electroshocking to catch live fish, measured and took scale samples while checking the health and condition of the fish, and then released them back into the water.

(Fyke nets are built like a funnel. Fish swim into a narrowing opening in the net, then have a difficult time finding their way out once they are in the main body of the net. Electroshocking utilizes electricity to temporarily stun fish so they can easily be caught.)

The DNR did use two gill nets for one day on the Margrethe survey project, Fisheries Technician Supervisor Jerry Casey said. Gill nets, which were useful in catching walleye and yellow perch for samples during the survey, can kill fish, he said.

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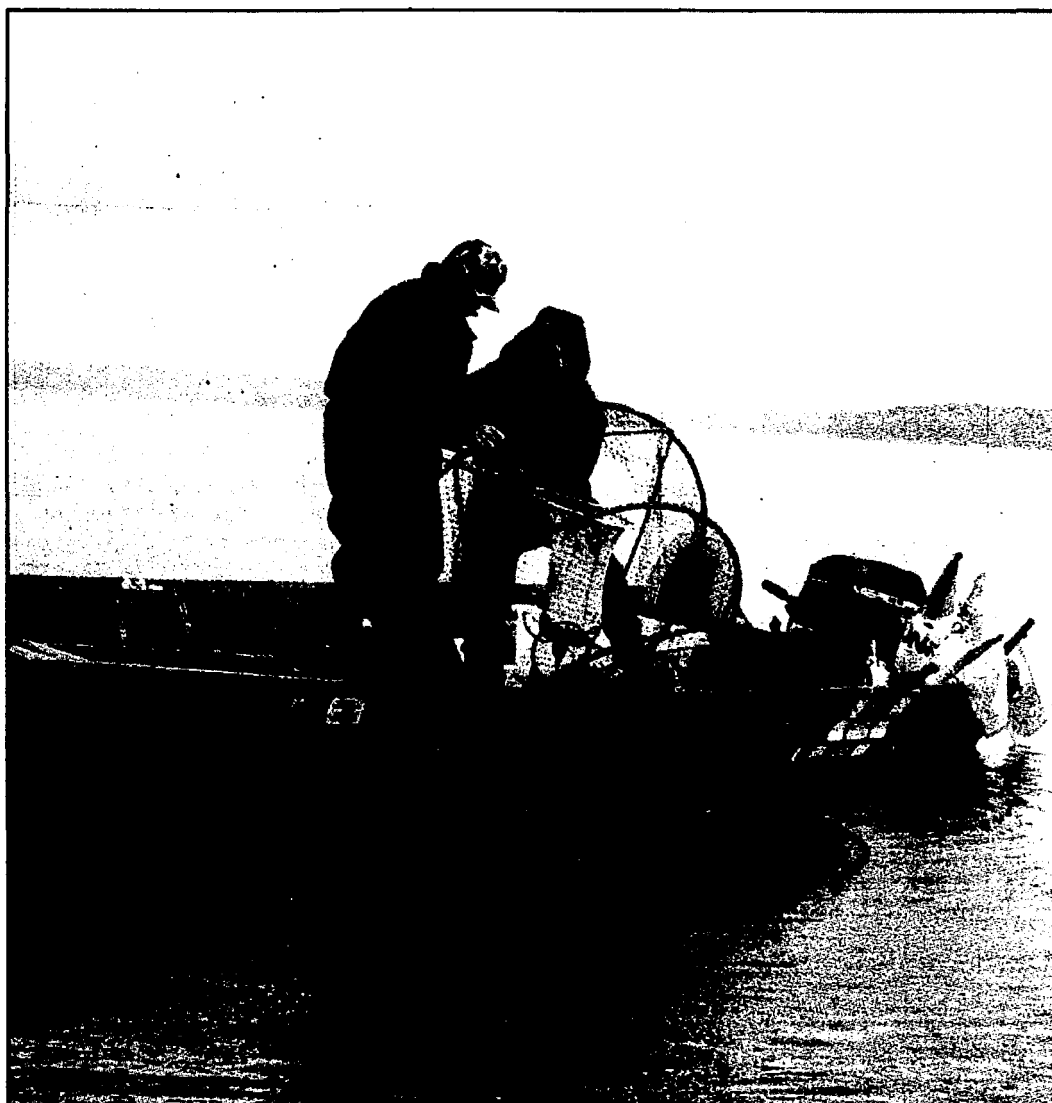


Photo by Caleb Casey

DNR Fisheries Technician Mike Phillips and summer worker Kim Hartman check a fyke net on Lake Margrethe last Friday. The DNR had about a dozen fyke nets on Lake Margrethe last week to aid in a survey of the lake's fish population.

G-P worker listed in good condition

► Grayling man one of several injured in explosion at Gaylord plant

by Cheryl Ruley
Staff Writer

Two explosions rocked the Georgia-Pacific Plant in Gaylord late last week leaving several workers, including one Grayling man, injured and/or burned.

Jay Dannenberg, 32, received burns in the blast that occurred about 10:30 a.m. Friday, May 25 and was airlifted to the University of Michigan Medical Center Burn Unit in Ann Arbor. As of press time, he was listed in good condition.

Georgia-Pacific Personnel Assistant Sara Plona said the company is focused on assisting the many families of the injured and has sent representatives to each hospital where workers have been admitted.

"Our main focus is to keep in contact with family members and check the status of each injured worker," Plona said. As for the cause of Friday's explosion, "We are still in the process of working with MIOSHA (Michigan

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Tax relief bill will put checks in the mail

by Cheryl Ruley
Staff Writer

As most Americans enjoyed a three-day weekend, Congress spent many hours putting the final touches on a \$1.35 trillion tax relief bill, then sending it to both the House and Senate where it was approved Saturday afternoon.

In the House, 4th District Rep. Dave Camp (R-MI) joined 239 others voting in favor of the tax bill. While the measure also passed in the Senate, both Senator Carl Levin (D-MI) and freshman Senator Debbie Stabenow (D-MI) voted against it.

According to Rep. Camp's office, "the legislation will give the largest tax cut to American taxpayers in 20 years. Titled the Economic Growth and Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2001, the bill will double the per child tax credit, eliminate the marriage penalty, phase out the 'death tax' and reduce the marginal rate for every taxpayer." The bill will also help the financial burden adoptive parents may face.

Perhaps the most immediate tax relief American taxpayers will experience is when lump-sum

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Everything's coming up.... lilacs?



Photo courtesy of Sue Warrington

Grayling certainly should have the title of "Lilac City" each spring when the air is filled with the scent of lilacs. Take a ride down almost any street and you are sure to catch that intoxicating aroma from hundreds of lilac bushes all around town. Hurry, though. The blossoms will soon be fading until next spring.

IT'S THE REAL THING



Photo by Cheryl Ruley

The Jr. Deputy Rodeo was held May 18 at Grayling Elementary School. Students had the opportunity to explore law enforcement and emergency equipment used by local agencies. Here a young boy feels the power of water shooting out of a real fire hose with help from members of the Frederic Township Volunteer Fire Department. For more, see Page 3A, "Jr. Deputy Rodeo..."

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Fish survey conducted on Margrethe

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Electroshocking can also damage or kill fish, but Casey said most of the crew members have a lot of practice shocking and they "try to be careful" in order to avoid killing fish.

Crews checked the length and health of fish and took scale samples. Scales can be used to determine a fish's age and growth. Much of the information gathered last week will be processed over the winter, and a complete report of the survey results won't be available until February 2002, Casey said, but he is optimistic about what he has seen so far.

"We consider it to be a successful survey," Casey said. "We got good information."

"Fish health looks good," he said. "There's a nice balance of panfish and predators."

(Panfish are bluegill, pumpkinseed, and rock bass. Predators include pike, walleye, small-mouth bass, and large-mouth bass.)

"There's a lot of fishing pressure put on Lake Margrethe. That can make it difficult to sustain a fishery,

Short-term workers on board for summer

Local college students learn while they work during summer with DNR

by Caleb Casey
Staff Writer

Two local college students, Kim Hartman and Morris Nettleton, are spending their summer working full-time with the DNR's Fisheries Division, tending nets, operating boats, and working with fish.

For both, the job as a summer or "short-term worker" with the Department of Natural Resources is an opportunity to work in an outdoor environment and learn while earning some money during summer break.

Hartman just finished her

sophomore year at Grand Valley State University, and is working with the DNR as part of an internship with the college. She is a Tourism and Hospitality major with an emphasis on "wildlife."

"I like it a lot," Hartman said of her summer job.

Nettleton, who is now in his second summer of working with Fisheries Division, is working toward an Associate's Degree in Science at Kirtland Community College.

"I really like it," said Nettleton. "I like to be outside and work with the crew."

Fisheries Technician Supervisor Jerry Casey said the two will have to learn a wide variety of skills during their time at the DNR this summer, including net setting, net maintenance, fish identification,

operation of boats and outboard motors, and equipment maintenance.

Most recently, Nettleton and Hartman worked with the Fisheries Division crew in a fish survey on Lake Margrethe and monitoring the operation of one of the DNR's walleye ponds.

The ponds are maintained by the DNR to grow walleye for planting in area lakes. Nettleton and Hartman helped put fertilizer into the pond to nourish plankton. The walleye then feed on the plankton, they explained.

Other than stating they were interested in "wildlife" and "science," neither student said they had a specific career path mapped out at this time.

Both are graduates of Grayling High School.

but it seems to be holding okay," Casey said. "Lake Margrethe has been consistently good for walleye, and it should remain good. There's good potential for small-mouth and large-mouth bass. Bluegill are definitely making a comeback. They were in a downturn for a while."

"There should be some really good rock bass fishing, and many chances for Master Angler bullheads, if anyone is interested in bullheads," he said.

"The lake itself looks like it's in pretty good condition," Casey said.

This fall, the DNR will be planting several thousand nine-inch muskie in Lake Margrethe. Next year, they will plant walleye in Margrethe.

The Fisheries Division workers based in Grayling have a sizeable area of Michigan to cover. Jurisdictions are now based on "watershed management units," Grayling's being the Central Lake

Michigan Management Unit.

"Since we travel a lot and have a large area to cover, it's nice for the crew to have a lake close to home to cover," Casey said, referring to Lake Margrethe.

The survey on Margrethe was based on "prescriptions" for lakes from DNR fisheries biologists based in Cadillac. The survey is an effort to gather the "best biological information on fish populations" available.

Camp keynote speaker at Lincoln Day Dinner

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Congressman Dave Camp (R-Midland) joined local residents for the combined Crawford County and Oscoda County Lincoln Day Dinner at Shoppenagon's Inn in Grayling on May 12.

"It was an enjoyable evening," Camp said. "It's always a pleasure coming to Crawford County and listening to what my constituents here have to say."

As the keynote speaker, Camp updated his audience on what was happening in Washington, explaining to the crowd how he was working with Congress and President Bush to pass tax relief legislation, restrain federal spending, protect Social Security, and preserve Medicare.

Camp was joined by other legislative officials, including 27th District State Senator and Majority Leader Dan DeGrow; 8th District State Senator and Assistant Majority Leader Loren Bennett; 105th District State Rep. Ken Bradstreet and Sen. George McManus.



Photo courtesy of Rep. Dave Camp

4th Congressional District U.S. Rep. Dave Camp (standing at left) was the keynote speaker at the Crawford County and Oscoda County Lincoln Day Dinner on May 12. Joining Camp at the head table were (from left) Randy Black, Crawford County Republican Party Chairman; State Senator Loren Bennett; Representative Ken Bradstreet; Suzanne Allen, wife of 104th District Representative Jason Allen; Senator Dan DeGrow, Senate Majority Leader.

Pontoon boat mishap lands three in jail

by Cheryl Raley
Staff Writer

In the early morning hours of Friday, May 25, E-911 Central Dispatch received a report of a possible drowning on Kneff Lake in Grayling Township.

The Crawford County Sheriff Department reports the caller had been awakened by calls for help coming from an overturned pontoon boat in the middle of the lake.

Responding to the scene were units from Mobile Medical Response (MMR), Grayling Township Fire

Department and Deputies from the Crawford County Sheriff Department.

Detective Sergeant Rich Meyer was first on the scene and swam out to the boat. With all parties accounted for, Meyer assisted three young men back to shore where they were arrested for disorderly conduct, taken to the Crawford County Jail. The three later bonded out.

According to Sheriff Dave Lovely, alcohol is believed to have played a contributing factor in the incident.

G-P worker listed in good condition

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Occupational Safety and Health Administration) and the State Fire Marshal to learn the exact cause of

the explosion."

A second explosion occurred early Saturday morning when fire fighters discovered fire spread to a

containment area where wood chips are stored. Several fire fighters received injuries from smoke inhalation when air hit the smoldering wood chips causing a large fire to erupt.

Anyone wishing to send cards or fruit baskets (no flowers, please) to Dannenberg and his family may send them to: Jay Dannenberg, c/o University of Michigan Medical Center - Burn Unit, 1500 E. Medical Center Drive, Ann Arbor, MI 48105.

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Jr. Deputy Rodeo held at GES



Students visited nine "stations" during the May 18 Jr. Deputy Rodeo held at Grayling Elementary School. Emergency personnel at each station explained their involvement in public safety. (Left) Deputies with the Sheriff's Marine Division allowed kids to venture onto the new patrol boat and sound the horn, while others learned how to throw a rescue line.

(Right) The Crash Test Dummies explain to this student the importance of following traffic safety rules. (Bottom) Mobile Medical Response (MMR) brought an ambulance for the kids to explore and gave lessons on first aid. The MMR mascot, McGruff the Crime Fighting Dog and Smokey Bear were all there. Other stations covered the proper use of 911, fire safety, local National Guard activities, water safety, and stranger danger.



Driver escapes crash with minor injuries



Photos by Cheryl Ruley

A crash last Friday, May 25 at about 7 a.m. left the driver of this truck shaken and with only minor injuries. The truck was northbound on Old US-27, just south of Grayling High School, when it apparently veered across the southbound lanes, careened off a large pile of dirt, and turned around inside a tree lined trail currently under construction. Sheriff Dave Lovely said the driver may have possibly suffered a seizure just before the accident.

Elderly man dies in single vehicle crash

Michigan State Police (MSP) at the Houghton Lake Post continue to investigate a single vehicle accident that killed an elderly man from Flushing.

According to Sgt. Kenneth Holmes of the MSP, the accident occurred shortly before 2 p.m. on Wednesday, May 23 in Lake Township, Roscommon County, on northbound US-27 near Meads Landing Road.

Witnesses told police a 1992 Chevy truck was traveling in the right lane, then slowly crossed over into the passing lane, leaving the roadway and traveling over 100 yards in the median where it struck a tree.

The driver, 71-year-old Dwight

Willour of Flushing, was pronounced dead at the scene. Holmes reports the man was not wearing a seat belt. His 70-year-old wife, Joyce, who was wearing her seat

belt, sustained only minor injuries. She was taken to Grayling Mercy Hospital for treatment. Alcohol does not appear to be a factor in the accident.

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OPINIONS



ALMANACK

by Richard Milliman

A tale of two senators

COULD IT BE simple coincidence -- or was it some sort of twisted political karma -- that two senators drove two different governmental capitals hundreds of miles apart into political chaos on the same day?

May 24, 2001 won't be a date which will live in infamy, but political junkies will long remember the day when Sen. James Jeffords of Vermont turned the U. S. Senate upside down as he renounced his Republican affiliation which handed senate control to the Democrats.

On the same day here in Michigan, an overwhelming bi-partisan vote broke precedent and expelled Sen. David Jaye from the Michigan senate.

That's a couple of huge gulps for political buffs to absorb all in a single news cycle.

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THE MICHIGAN senate did not quiver and quake as the national senate did. Republicans remain in firm control, and the expelled Sen. Jaye was a surplus Republican his party didn't need to maintain the upper hand.

In fact, outside the state capital and Mr. Jaye's modest Macomb county district, the whole Jaye affair doesn't

have much significance except as a political spectacle.

Life goes on in Lansing, and even in Macomb county, with hardly a ripple of change. Someone will be elected in a special election to fill out the balance of the Jaye term, and someone will be elected to a full four-year term in 2002.

Republicans will continue to run things in the Michigan senate, regardless of what happens to the Jaye seat - at least until 2003.

But the Michigan senate now has a precedent for expulsion of a duly elected member.

No longer is conviction of a felony the yardstick to remove an elected legislator from office. Expulsion has happened once before, when a house member, convicted of a felony, was sacked.

The rule now apparently is if enough senators disapprove of a colleague's actions, they can boot him/her out of office for any reason a two-thirds majority deems adequate.

If there is any lasting significance to Mr. Jaye's ouster, that's it. Otherwise, the whole thing is only political spectacle.

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THE JEFFORDS SWITCH has considerably more instant significance and possible long-term meaning.

The immediate result is switching control of the senate to Democrats, which means President Bush's legislative program faces uncertainty.

Of course, in a 50-50 senate, everything is uncertain anyway when it comes to voting. But legislative structure is a vital in Washington, and the Democrats are now in a position to obstruct the flow of the Bush agenda.

The likely result is that nothing extreme will become law for at least the next two years. House Republicans can block Democratic extremism, and senate Democrats can block house extremism.

Anything coming out of the legislative mill must be compromised down, which probably is all right for most Americans.

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MR. JEFFORDS' switch from the Republican party, however, may foretell a move toward more political realignment in America.

Mr. Jeffords said he found today's Republicanism too restrictive... that he couldn't accept more and more of what had become party tenets. Obviously, he didn't feel

a complete switch to the Democrats would be comfortable either, so he opted for the middle.

That's where most Americans find themselves, too, as the 2000 presidential and congressional election results indicate.

But there's no political party in the middle. With Democrats on the left and republicans on the right, what's a conscientious citizen to do? Political independence is the only recourse.

There was a time, not long ago, when Ronald Reagan was attracting Democratic defectors to the Republican party. As the GOP grew in strength, it may have lost sight of the importance of independents, and the trend to party-switchers may now be to the Democrats.

The party that can attract and hold more of the middle Americans may be the party which will control the future of the country.

That may be the long-range meaning of James Jeffords' personal political decision.

Richard Milliman is a veteran newspaperman, and a contributing columnist to several Michigan newspapers.

VIEWPOINT

Can California's electric crisis happen in Michigan?

by David W. Joos
President & Chief Executive
Officer - Electric

The news from California is not good. The state has experienced rolling electricity blackouts and the two largest power companies talk of bankruptcy.

Last June, Michigan's legislature passed new laws restructuring much of our state's power industry. This begs an obvious question: Can California's power problem happen here?

The answer is no, not if we continue to prudently move toward customer choice and support new generating plants and electric transmission and distribution facilities needed to power Michigan's growing economy.

California's electric utilities cannot keep up with the public's demand for power. While the people of California are increasing their use of electricity at nearly triple the national rate, no new power plants have been built in more than a decade because of many reasons - including opposition from the public.

By contrast, demand in Michigan is growing more slowly, about two percent annually, and several generating units have been brought into service. Consumers Energy rebuilt and restarted three units at our plant in Muskegon and our holding company, CMS Energy, has added units in northern and southern Michigan that can generate power during times of peak demand.

Michigan's new laws removed many of the uncertainties that kept power suppliers from building new plants here. A number of new units are planned over the next several years. With their output, we could have enough electricity to exceed customer demand on peak-use days

by 40 percent or more. Some already face very strong public opposition, however, so the percentage could turn out to be much smaller.

California encouraged its electric utilities to sell most of their fossil-fired power plants. Now, California's utilities are dependent on a volatile, short-term wholesale power market to buy power one day at a time. They are barred from signing long-term power contracts or using the other tools available to utilities elsewhere to ensure a reliable supply.

By contrast, Michigan's utilities are allowed to keep enough existing generating capacity to serve our current customers. By relying on our own plants and firm contracts to buy power elsewhere, we have taken the necessary steps to ensure a reliable supply for the present.

California's extraordinarily strict environmental rules have discouraged construction of new power plants and encouraged too much reliance on natural gas. Michigan gets a much smaller fraction of its power from gas-fired plants. Our primary fuel source is coal, which is abundant, affordable and increasingly clean. Coal-fired and nuclear-powered plants provide more than half of our electricity, at prices that are lower and historically more stable.

California also suffers from inadequate transmission capacity to import electricity from other states. By contrast, Michigan's law requires the state's utilities to expand transmission capacity by 2,000 megawatts by June 2002. We are already working to meet that requirement.

Finally, Michigan's new laws empower the Michigan Public Service Commission to establish

performance standards to ensure that our electric customers continue to enjoy quality service.

Michigan's different approach is keeping us from a California-style mess. During a few hot summer days in 1998 and 1999 when electric supplies were very tight, our customers responded to our public appeals to conserve by turning off some lights and cutting back a bit on air conditioning. We didn't have to resort to a dramatic, California-style action and kept the power flowing.

Resolving the long term problem will require cooperation. You and I vote with our light switches every day for more electricity. There's no need for a recount. We vote for more central air conditioners, computers, electronic devices and products from factories which use large amounts of power.

On the other hand, many people are very quick to vote no when it comes to new generating plants and power lines near their communities.

How shall we reconcile the two votes? We need to respond by conserving electricity when demand is unusually high, like on very hot summer days. We also need to work together to develop a long-term plan to build the plants and power lines that Michigan's families and businesses will need. That's no small task.

California has gotten everyone's attention. Now that we're thinking about the problem, let's work together on ways to make sure new power supplies can be developed in a manner that is environmentally responsible, economical and in time.

That way, when you turn on the light switch several years from now, you won't wonder if the power will be there.

EDITOR

Did foul-mouthed mom get special treatment?

To the editor,

This letter is in regard to an incident that occurred in front of the AuSable Primary School on May 15.

Everyone whose kids attend A.P. knows how parents stop by the curb to drop off their children and go on their way. That's fine. But, on this day, a mother (she knows who she is and so do I) was blocking the other lane. There were about six cars behind her and she just stops in the only open lane to drop off her children. In the meantime, everyone else is dropping off their children at the curb and driving off. This parent basically let her children get out into moving traffic.

My husband said to the lady, "You should pull up to the curb like everyone else; traffic's moving in that lane. Your kids can get hurt."

So, this mother parks her vehicle,

walks up to my husband, as he was adjusting my three-year old in her car seat, and started to cuss at him. He remained calm and she just kept up.

One parent walked up to her and said something like, "we are in a school; there are children, watch your language."

Now, this parent yells, "Get the police." (That morning, there was a sheriff's deputy and a Grayling policeman in the parking lot.) So, she calls the sheriff's deputy by name and the police officer asks my husband for his license. Are you all with me so far? This parent uses profanity in front of my two small children, my husband doesn't say one bad word, but because she knows the sheriff's deputy, it's okay to do such a thing.

My husband told the officer that the woman should be arrested for

using profanity in front of my children. I guess that was a joke to them. Police can pull a man off the middle of a river and charge him and make him pay a fine for using profanity, but it's okay for a "mother" to use profanity in front of three and five year old children, and in front of the whole school. If they're going to arrest or fine a man for using profanity in front of children, then they should do it to a woman as well.

So, what made this person special? Was it because she was a woman (not much of a parent if you're going to use that kind of language in front of a school yard full of small children) or was it the fact that she knew the sheriff's deputy?

Julie Conforti
Grayling

Teach your children well

To the editor,

On Friday, May 11, my husband and I stopped at the local food store for a few items before going to our cottage on Lake Margrethe to de-winterize it.

We were fourth in the express line, when the young woman at the front of the line began unloading a massive amount of groceries which had been hidden from view by the pre-schooler in the cart.

My 81-year old husband pointed to the '10 Items or Less' sign and said, "Do you realize you're in the wrong line?" The woman looked up at the sign and waved her hand dis-

missing its message without a second glance. My husband, once again, repeated his statement to which the woman responded, "Get a life!" and continued to unload her groceries.

I was shocked at her rudeness and said to her, "There are three other people behind you who meet the requirements of this line and some of us need to exit this store quickly."

She gave me a withering look and said, "I don't have to listen to you, either!" At this point her four-year-old daughter sneered at me and said, "Yea, we don't have to listen to you!"

I was appalled and responded, "Yes, I can see your mother has taught you not to respect your elders." I wonder how this child will respond to authority when she attends school. Her mother certainly feels rules and regulations can be blatantly ignored if it is in her own interest -- no matter how it affects others. What a sad situation.

Betty Wurtz
Grayling

P.S. I wouldn't have been surprised to discover this woman also parked in a handicapped spot for her own convenience.

Ormsbee's retirement will leave a void at CASD

To the editor,

We just found out that Mr. Dennis Ormsbee is retiring from the music program at Crawford AuSable School District (CASD) in Grayling.

What a loss for CASD! Mr. Ormsbee was one of the most committed and dedicated Band Directors we have ever known. Our daughter, Gretchen, was privileged and proud to learn from Mr. "O." He always made learning fun.

He not only taught students music, but taught morality, honesty and integrity. He is a living example for all.

We chaperoned many band and music events. Mr. "O" always set ground rules prior to leaving the school property, expecting band members to behave like ladies and gentlemen and act as good ambassadors for the Grayling Band Program. Students respected him. He is a positive Christian role model.

I accompanied many a student when competition rolled around. I saw first-hand what an exemplary, tender man Mr. Ormsbee is. He cared for and loved every student. Hours and hours of his own time were spent mentoring students.

Such devotion to students, Band Program, CASD and the community. Grayling was fortunate to have you.

Mr. Ormsbee, it is truly an honor to know you and to have worked with you. You are leaving a void. No one can fill your shoes.

Blessings and prayers be with you and your family. Thanks for the memories! May you always walk in sunshine!

George and Janet Dice
(Parents of Gretchen Dice Hebekeuser, Class of 1993.)

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Your views are welcome on the Opinion Page. Letters may be typed or handwritten, but please double-space or use every other line and limit to 500 words.

Every letter must be signed and an address and telephone number must be included to be considered for publication. Letters will not be published without the author's name. Telephone numbers are not published.

All letters are subject to editing and will be printed as space allows. Deadline for submission of letters to the editor is Friday at noon for consideration for publication in the following week's paper.

BRIEFS

Car wash to benefit 'Festival Con Dios'

For a donation, the Youth of Grayling Assembly of God will wash cars, vans, trucks and semi-trucks at the 7-11 store on Wednesday, June 6 from 4:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Money raised will help pay for youth to attend the "Festival Con Dios," a music festival in Gaylord scheduled for June 13.

Mercy Manor plans annual yard sale

The Mercy Manor Annual Yard Sale will be held June 1-2, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on the lawn outside Mercy Manor (1100 Michigan Avenue, Grayling). Profits from the sale will be used for resident activity programs as well as toward Eden Alternative committees such as the garden, pet, decorating and food programs.

Conservancy to hold annual meeting

The Headwaters Conservancy will hold its 6th Annual Meeting and Luncheon at the Otsego Club, located on M-32 just east of Gaylord, on Saturday, June 9 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Beginning at 10:30 a.m. guests will be picked up by shuttle bus and taken to the River Cabin for the meeting. Reservations are required. Mark Wojcik, regional director of the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation, will be the speaker. For more information or to make reservations, call (989) 785-3933 or (989) 275-8951 by June 6.

Law Enforcement Millage meeting set

The Crawford County Law Enforcement Millage Committee has scheduled an information millage meeting to be conducted by the Millage Campaign Members at the following locations: South Branch Township Hall - Monday, June 4 at 7:30 p.m.; Frederic Township Hall - Tuesday, June 5 at 7:30 p.m.; Lovells Township Hall - Wednesday, June 6 at 7:30 p.m.

Michelson to host all-you-can-eat lunch

Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church on Michigan Avenue in Grayling, will host a soup, sandwich, salad and dessert luncheon on Thursday, June 7 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. All you can eat for \$4.50 per person. Take outs available. Everyone is welcome.

Fair pageants seeking contestants

The Crawford County Fair Pageants will begin taking applications for its annual pageants on June 1. Interested young ladies between the ages of seven years and 15 years of age, and any tiny tots between the ages of four and six may apply. Call 348-7732 or 348-4312 to leave a message to be contacted with information for entering. The entry fee is \$30 and deadline for entry is July 1, 2001.

Summer Music series opens in Mio

The Oscoda County Summer Music 2001 series opens Thursday, June 7 with the traditional music of "Loose Strings," and the country music of the "Honey Bee Stingers." The concert will be held on the lawn of the Oscoda Court House on M-33 in Mio, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Bring lawn chairs, blankets, family and friends.

Booster Club announces raffle winners

Grayling Youth Booster Club 50/50 raffle winners for the week of May 27 of \$25 each are Bob Ahms and Steve Brinks.

Wellington ready to dedicate summer kitchen this Sunday

Wellington Farm Park, near Grayling, will dedicate a new facility on Sunday, June 3 at 3 p.m. The completion of a Summer Kitchen has long been a dream of the Wellington Farm Folk at the 60-acre living history museum.

For the past several years, interpreters at Wellington have had to make do in other buildings in order to demonstrate the activities of a typical 1930s farm kitchen. Temporary kitchens have been set in the Carpenter Shop and the Leon Johnston Pavilion.

Now, the interpreters will be able to demonstrate a kitchen that is complete and "up-to-date." In the center of the kitchen is the wood-burning cookstove. Beside that is the wood-fired water heater, for this new kitchen has running water. Other highlights are the cupboards, pantry, laundry and the table.

The Summer Kitchen is the second structure in what will eventually become the Social Centre of the

park. Other buildings planned for this portion of the park are a school, church, grange hall and individual specialty shops.

Much of the financing for the Summer Kitchen was provided by ORCA-YAC, the youth administered portion of the North Central Michigan Community Foundation. Wellington received the grant because the Summer Kitchen is the focal point of the organization's Fourth Grade Hands On History Program. During September and October each year, well over 1,000 fourth and fifth grade students from across northern Michigan visit Wellington to participate in this program.

The public is invited to attend the dedication ceremony on June 3. Wellington Farm Park is located on Military Road, between Higgins Lake and Camp Grayling. The park is open Saturday and Sunday, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. For more information, call toll-free 1-888-653-3276.

National Weather Service hosting Open House

Come rain or shine, the National Weather Service (NWS) office in Gaylord will be hosting an Open House on Saturday, June 2 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Visitors will be able to see the inner workings of the NWS office, including all of the equipment and computer systems. Visitors will get to see what it takes to develop accurate forecasts for the complex climate of the Great Lakes as they watch the operational meteorologists monitor the skies of northern Michigan.

Visitors will be able to talk directly with the NWS staff of 17 meteorologists and three electronics technicians.

Members of the local Amateur Radio Clubs who assist the NWS during severe weather events will also be available.

Admission to the Open House is free and everyone is welcome.

To find the NWS office from Grayling, take I-75 to Exit 270. Turn left and cross the overpass and continue to the stop sign (Old US-27). Turn right, then immediately look for Passenheim Road to the left. Make this left turn and continue on Passenheim Road for about four miles to the NWS office on the left.

For more information, call (517) 731-3384 or visit the web site at: www.crh.noaa.gov/apx.

Quilt winner announced



Photo courtesy of Michele Butzin

Marlene Ritter, of Grayling, had her name drawn recently in a contest to win this quilt at the local Speedway Station. Customers entered the contest by donating \$1 benefitting the Children's Miracle Network.

Conservation District looking for suggestions

The Crawford-Roscommon Conservation District Board of Directors would like the public to share with its members, thoughts and ideas at a stakeholders meeting. This gathering of minds will be Wednesday, June 6 at 6:30 p.m. in the district's office at the CRAF Center (606 Lake Street, Roscommon). The regular monthly board meeting will be held immediately following; of which the public is also welcome to attend.

The Conservation District is looking for input on local resource problems and concerns from the public. This information will assist the group in developing a resource assessment of the two counties to identify and address priority issues

and develop an annual implementation plan.

A conservation district is a local unit of statement government organized by the people within the District boundaries under provisions of Public Act 297 of 1937; which was amended and made part of the Environmental Code in 1994. It is a locally controlled resource management agency, created by concerned landowners and administered by a five member publicly-elected board of directors.

Conservation districts are striving to serve as the gateway to providing citizens easy access to natural resource management assistance. Through this new gateway concept, conservation districts are building to serve as a clearinghouse for landowner inquiries.

For more information, call (517) 275-5231.

Happi Days to host Frederic Auto Show

The two-day 2001 Frederic Auto Show will be held on June 1-2 at Happi Days Campground, located two miles south of Frederic on the corner of Old 27 and Batterson Road.

June 1 will feature a "Sock Hop" and Cruise Poker Run, and the Auto Show will be held on June 2.

Entry fee is \$10. Poker Run is \$3 per car.

Registration for the Auto Show will be 8 a.m. to 12 noon. Trophies will be awarded at 3 p.m.

The Poker Run will leave the campground at 7 p.m., and the Sock Hop will run from 7 p.m. until 11 p.m. Music will be provided by Freewheelin' Fred.

Call (517) 348-6115 to reserve camping. For more information, contact Rod Hinkle at (517) 344-9050.

Kindergarten health clinics scheduled

District Health Department #10 has scheduled Hearing/Vision/Immunization clinics for children entering Kindergarten this fall.

Appointments are required for the screenings and immunization scheduled Thursday, June 7, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Friday, June 8, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Parents are reminded to bring their children's green immunization record.

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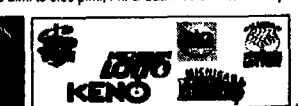
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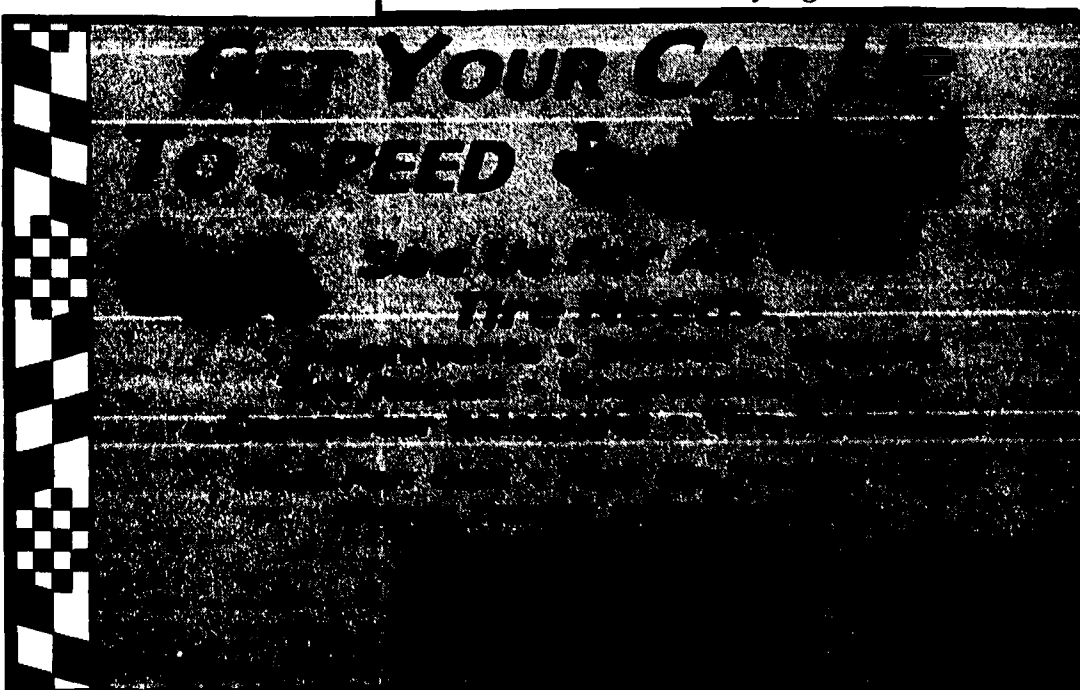


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The Bible Speaks

Faith Based Charities

Faith based charities are in the national news now because of a decision by President Bush to push for the use of federal funds to help people through these organizations. Now I believe our President is very sincere in his desire to help in this manner. But there are long range dangers to churches with this approach. Government money eventually brings some degree of government control.

Liberal religions have been actively involved in government for years. They preach a social gospel and attempt to use the government as a vehicle to fulfill their agenda. While we encourage individual Christian involvement in government, the merger of church and state in cooperative programs is dangerous.

Leftist religious philosophy has already permeated much government thinking and action. Social problems are being considered as class struggles over money, gender, race, culture etc. Religious organizations that become involved with the government will be pressured by the government to follow their anti-discrimination policies in implementing cooperative programs. Since only the religious "left" is considered "secular" in their approach, the government will be strongly influenced to lean toward their policies. Conservatives will be pressured or

forced to abandon their religious convictions to bring harmony. Remember, the key to government success is compromise to reach their goals. The goal of conservative Bible-believing Christian organizations is to obey Jesus Christ.

The social philosophy of the left is about "individual rights" and "liberation" from bondage for victims and minority groups. The Bible philosophy of religious conservatives is to help all sinners correct wrongs which destroy them and offend a Holy God. Conservative Christians help people know God, obey His Word, glorify and serve Him. All social assistance by Bible-believing conservatives is toward that end.

The government is already supporting leftist religious organizations that promote feminism, abortion, multiculturalism, homosexuality, and a host of other liberal religious ideas. These organizations fear that they will lose some government monies if "faith based" organizations are included.

America is in the midst of a cultural, religious war for the hearts of our nation. The liberals believe social problems can be solved from the outside in through government. Conservatives believe Jesus Christ who changes the hearts and lives of people can best solve social problems from the inside out.

"Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new." (2 Cor 5:17) "For from within, out of the heart of men, proceed evil thoughts, adulteries, fornications, murders, 22Thefts, covetousness, wickedness, deceit, lasciviousness, an evil eye, blasphemy, pride, foolishness: 23All these evil things come from within, and defile the man." (Mark 7:21-23) Jesus Christ taught us to beware of the control or influence of political and religious leaders. "And he charged them, saying, Take heed, beware of the leaven of the Pharisees, and of the leaven of Herod." (Mark 8:15) Herod rebuilt the Jewish temple. Roman armies destroyed the same temple 7 years after completion. Pastor "B"

Please pray for God's blessings upon the ministry of this column and our church Websites at: <http://onramp.i2k.com/~cba/> and at <http://www.i2k.com/~cba/index.html> We at Calvary Baptist Church invite you to learn more from the Bible about Jesus Christ. Join us in a verse by verse study of the gospel of John each Sunday morning at 10:30 a.m.

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Library's memorial brick winner announced



Photo courtesy of the Crawford County Library

Karen Coe (center), won a memorial brick to be installed in the Reading Garden of the Devereaux Memorial Crawford County Library now under construction. The contest ran the month of April in celebration of the new library and National Library Week. Coincidentally, Coe is the Grayling Elementary School librarian. She is shown here with students from Janet Pahssen's fifth grade class.

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By the same token, we may communicate our spiritual strength to those around us. A warm smile, encouraging words, perhaps giving another driver a break in traffic; there are so many simple ways to share the language of God's love. In Matthew 5:16, we read... "Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven."

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Cub Scouts recognized by local Republicans

On Saturday, May 12, members of Cub Scout Pack #3993, Wolf Den were asked to lead the Pledge of Allegiance during the Crawford-Oscoda County Republican Lincoln Day Dinner held at Shoppenagon's Inn in Grayling.

Representing members of the Pack were Jon Deffendall, Ethan Lewis, Richard Goodyear, Matt Dunkel, Josh Aimsberry, Matt Murray, Brent Steffey, Hurley Timmons, Kevin Halstead, Jacob Swall, Jason Morrow, and Traver Wagner. The scouts were accompanied by Leaders Norman Poll, Bonnie Deffendall, Brian Aimsberry, Mike Dunkel, Kim Halstead and Master Scout Leader Jeff Steffey.

These new scouts learned about the election process last fall after a presentation about the importance of elections. They decided they would write notes to distribute while they were trick-or-treating last Halloween to remind voters in the community of the importance of casting their ballots.

Each boy personally made up numerous slips of paper asking voters to turn out at the polls because they, themselves, were too young to vote. The boys were told that typically there is about a 35 percent turnout of registered voters in Crawford County and if there was a better turnout than average they would be recognized for their



Photo courtesy of the Crawford County Republican Party

Members of Cub Scout Pack #3993, Wolf Den lead the Pledge of Allegiance to open the Crawford-Oscoda County Republican Lincoln Day Dinner on May 12. This group of scouts will receive recognition in the near future from the Crawford County Board of Commissioners for their efforts to get out the vote last November.

efforts. The Crawford County election voter turnout this past year exceeded 56 percent.

The Crawford County Board of Commissioners were informed of

this effort made by these "future voters" and have passed a motion to further recognize these young people for their efforts to get out the vote.

In the near future, each scout will be presented with a Certificate of Recognition for their efforts by the Crawford County Board of Commissioners.

MILITARY NEWS



Andrew Ignash

Andrew Ignash, son of Robert and Bonnie, Ignash of Beaver Creek Township, for obtaining a Bachelor of Science degree in Management and a commission as a Second Lieutenant from the United States Air Force Academy.

Andy was a 1996 graduate of Grayling High School. He will be stationed in Birmingham, Alabama.

Sergeant Duane "Dewey" Detzler retired from the 1071st Maintenance

Company on March 31st after serving twenty three years in the 1071st. The ceremony was performed by First Sergeant (1SG) Dale Papendick and the company commander, Captain (CPT) Mike McNamara. 1SG Papendick presented SGT Detzler with a plaque, and the commander presented him with the Army Achievement Medal.

SGT Detzler was the Mess Sergeant for the unit, with his initial assignment of active duty in the Army being two years. His basic training was completed at Ft. Knox, Kentucky, and he had 28 total years of service in the armed forces.

SGT Detzler played instrumental roles in the unit's readiness and morale, by helping enlist at least 11 members to the National Guard, and by always having a great attitude while being in charge of a key section within the unit.

CPT McNamara presented SGT Detzler with the Army Achievement Medal for outstanding performance at the annual training periods which were conducted at Camp Dodge, Iowa, and also at the National Training Center, (Ft. Irwin)

California.

He set the pace for others to follow in performance and attitude, and always led by example. SGT Detzler will be sorely missed as the unit departs in February 2002 for Germany on their next annual training period.

Air Force Airman 1st Class Mark A. Hopkins has graduated from the satellite and wideband communications equipment apprentice course at Fort Gordon, Augusta, Georgia.

The graduate learned the theory and principles of electronic systems, components and devices, fiber optics, cryogenics, computers, and satellite tracking systems and equipment; principles of fixed and transportable wideband and earth terminal communications systems and telemetry; operate and maintain tactical and strategic satellite communications terminals and security procedures; operation, maintenance, and repair of related equipment including test, circuit analysis, and voice and record communications equipment.

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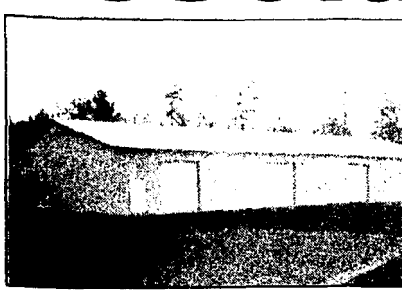
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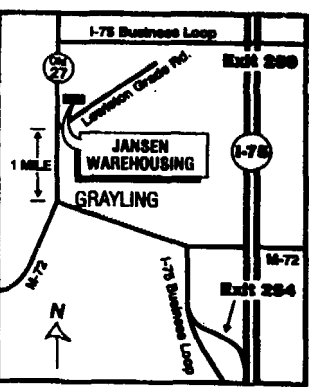


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Graduation night, parties + alcohol: a dangerous combination

Graduation night and the parties that follow are events filled with images and experiences that can create life-long memories. But for some teens, the consequences of alcohol abuse may cause these memorable occasions to fade into a blur -- or, more tragically, to end up in the headlines of the next day's news.

Serious falls, auto accidents and risky sexual contact are potential concerns when people -- especially inexperienced teens -- overindulge in alcohol.

"Alcohol is sometimes thought to be a lubricant for social relationships, but it also robs you of judgment or decision-making about just what you will or will not do with your body," says Kenneth Adams, Ph.D., professor in the departments of Psychiatry and Psychology in the University of Michigan Health System.

And, alcohol abuse also can lead to alcohol poisoning -- when an individual "massively overloads the

body's ability to eliminate alcohol," Adams says. "Deaths from alcohol poisoning are infrequent but not rare."

Some studies indicate that as many as one in five students experiment with alcohol early on in adolescence, says Adams. The problem can increase by the end of the teen years. "Among college students, as many as 50 percent regularly overuse alcohol or binge drink," he says. Binge drinking is the consumption of more than four or five drinks on any one occasion.

Furthermore, alcohol abuse in the early years may establish a destructive pattern that will continue for a lifetime.

"Teens could be setting themselves up for a lifetime of problems if they choose to drink," says Adams. "All too often, people will say they know their limit or they're in control but it's a self-deception of the highest order," says Adams.

What teens do today can affect their cognitive functions later in life, he notes. Short-term memory loss is often the first indicator of alcohol-related neurological damage. This type of memory loss means a person

has difficulty remembering new information, -- therefore, the learning process takes longer.

"It also reduces an individual's higher level thinking, the ability to think in abstract terms," says Adams. "Abusive consumption of alcohol changes the underlying brain chemistry and those chemicals control ability and skills. But later in life the damage done to brain chemistry cannot be restored ... cannot cure itself. Many problems experienced later in life have direct correlation to when individuals started drinking."

There are many reasons why teens begin using alcohol: peer pressure, to feel better, to be part of the crowd, to lift depression, and typical adolescent experimentation. Abuse occurs when an individual consumes more alcohol than the body can eliminate.

"You can eliminate one drink in an hour, there is no way to speed up that process," he says. When people over-consume alcohol what they do is essentially overload their system, he says. "The results are an impairment that only time can eliminate."

Some people are more at risk for

alcohol abuse or developing more serious problems with alcohol in later years. One characteristic of a person at risk of developing alcoholism, says Adams, is the sensitization of the nervous system with large consumption of alcohol. A family history of alcoholism and environmental factors should influence a person's decision about whether to drink.

"Some research indicates that at-risk individuals should be counseled to absolutely stay away from even the first episode," he says.

As far as so-called "safe drinking" guideline, Adams believes those serve only as a "bar that (individuals) can jump over or go under." He recommends that teens do not drink. He says the best way to make this decision is to list all the possible negative outcomes (e.g., death, permanent injury, auto accident, sexual assault, property destruction) as the result of drinking.

Teens should ponder all the undoable consequences that might result before they include alcohol in their graduation night, party and open house plans.

Dancer graduates from Interlochen, headed to Boston

Jillian St. Germain, 18, of Grayling, is part of the 2001 graduating class of Interlochen Arts Academy, the premier fine arts boarding school in the United States.

Jill, the daughter of Gerry St. Germain and Debbie St. Germain, is a dance major.

She studied at the Louise Tournaud School of Dance in

Grayling for 12 years before entering Interlochen Arts Academy in her sophomore year of high school. To further her dance career, Boston Conservatory has awarded Jill a scholarship and she plans to attend in the Fall of 2001.

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Whether it's one or 21, quilt shop enters another year

Submitted by Sue Warrington

First birthday or 21st birthday? It's a legitimate question, because one local business will be celebrating both in June. Jill Wyman started the Icehouse Quilt Shop in Grayling 21 years ago in June, 1980, but sold it to her daughter Alison (Ali) Baynham this past January.

Baynham is no stranger to the business, having worked there since high school. She started working part-time in the business office and said she loved it. She also developed into a talented quilter, making most of the quilts visitors can see hanging on the shop walls.

When her mother started talking about selling the Icehouse, Baynham asked for first refusal. Wyman stayed through the 20th year and Baynham took over the reins January 2, 2001. "I always knew it was what I wanted to do and I couldn't imagine the Icehouse not being around," Baynham said recently.

The new owner said she feels the bright and contemporary look of the Icehouse works well for the business. Most of the quilt models on the walls are a reflection of that feeling. Most of the models are available in kits, allowing quilters who don't have much time, to quickly find project materials and take home a small part of their vacation to quilt.

One recent innovation at the Icehouse are the new Bernina® sewing machines in the classroom. Baynham said the Icehouse is not



Photo courtesy of Sue Warrington

Alison (Ali) Baynham is nearing the end of her first year of ownership of the Icehouse Quilt Shop on Norway Street in Grayling. Baynham bought the business last June from her mother, Jill Wyman, who started teaching quilting and selling supplies 21 years ago.

going to become a sewing machine dealer, but she feels having the machines available allows students to leave their own machines at home, while allowing them to try out new machines.

Although Baynham is busy with her new business, she said she has found a way to balance the demands of work and family. Her husband, Ted, who trains harness racing horses, and her five-year-old

son Cody, say they are very proud of her. "I feel very lucky it worked out," she said.

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Thank you to all of the kids and parents who played on and supported the AYSO under ten soccer team.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Date: May 31, 2001

The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality proposes to re-issue an authorization for a discharge to the ground or groundwater pursuant to Part 31, Water Resources Protection, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended (Act 451), being Sections 324.3101 through 324.3119 of the Compiled Laws of Michigan, and the administrative rules promulgated thereunder, to:

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Comments or objections to the proposed authorization received by June 29, 2001 will be considered in the final decision to grant the permit. Persons desiring information regarding the proposed permit or procedures for commenting or requesting a hearing should contact: Groundwater Program Section, Waste Management Division, Department of Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 30241, Lansing, Michigan 48909, Telephone: 517-373-8148.

Copies of the public notice, fact sheet and proposed authorization may be obtained at the Gaylord Field Office, Waste Management Division, located at 2100 W. M-32, P.O. Box 1830, Gaylord, Michigan 49734-5830, Telephone: 517-705-3421.

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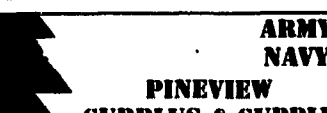
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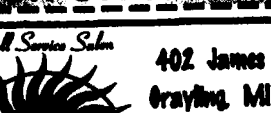
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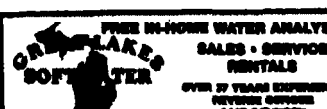
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refund checks begin to show up in mailboxes. At a press conference held following the approval of the bill, President George W. Bush said checks will begin to be issued starting late this summer and continue into the fall. Bush signed the bill into law on Memorial Day, May 28.

Single taxpayers can expect a check for \$300, single parent taxpayers \$500 and married couples will receive a check for \$600.

Those in favor of the tax relief bill have commented putting money in the pockets of Americans may help boost the slowing U.S. economy.

Camp said the major components of the tax bill include:

Marginal Rate Reductions

- Creates new rate structures: 10 percent, 15 percent, 25 percent, 28 percent, 33 percent and 35 percent;
- Gives lump-sum refunds of \$300 for single taxpayers, \$500 for single parents, and \$600 for married taxpayers this year.

- New 10 percent rate effective January 1, 2001 on first \$6,000 (singles) and \$12,000 (couples); and
- Repeals personal exemption (PEP) and itemized deductions (Pease) phaseouts beginning in 2006.

Marriage Penalty Repeal

- 15 percent bracket widened to twice that of singles; and
- Eliminates marriage penalty in the standard deduction for non-itemizers.

Death Tax Repeal

- Repeals the death tax in 2010; and
- Phases in increase in the unified credit to \$4 million in 2009.

Child Tax Credit Expansion

- Doubles the child credit from \$500 to \$1,000. (\$600 in 2001-07, \$700 in 2008, \$800 in 2009, \$1,000 in 2010).
- Retirement Savings**
 - Increases IRA contributions from \$2,000 to \$5,000;
 - Increases 401(k) and other tax-deferred contribution limits from \$10,500 to \$15,000;
 - IRA catch-up contributions; and
 - Modifies Section 415 aggregation rules for multi-employer plans.
- Education Incentives**
 - Increases education savings accounts (ESAs) from \$500 to \$2,000 and expands to K-12 public and private education;
 - Above-the-line deduction for

- higher education expenses;
- Allows private institutions to offer pre-paid tuition plans; and
- Makes permanent employer-provided educational assistance exclusion.

Adoption Tax Credit

- Increases the credit to \$10,000 for special needs (currently \$6,000) and non-special needs (currently \$5,000); and
- Increases the income phaseout range from current \$75,000 to \$150,000.

Alternative Minimum Tax

- Adjusts alternative minimum tax (AMT) to prevent taxpayers from losing benefits of tax reductions in the bill.

Grayling Lions honored for 25 years of service



Photo courtesy of the Grayling Lions Club

On May 10, Michelle McManus (center), Director of Governor Engler's northern office, presented each member of the Grayling Lions Club with a tribute on behalf of Governor John Engler and Lt. Governor Dick Posthumus in recognition of the club's 25 years of service to the community. Members are (in alphabetical order): James Allman, George Bronson, Paul Brunell, Fred Campbell, Arthur Carlson, Paul Carlson, Gilbert Cirelli, Ken Chapp, William Dean, Robert Gingerich, Don Hadd, Howard Jarvis, James Kolka, Douglas Latuszek, William McParland, Robert Prause, Ronald Rackoczy, Russell Shepard, Jon Stevens, Gerald Terry, Robert Weller, Robert Young, Ron Fox, Tom Olszewski, James Wash, Jeremiah Johnson.

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OBITUARIES

Elaine B. Huston

Feb. 15, 1923- May 22, 2001

Elaine B. Huston, age 78, of Grayling, passed away on Tuesday, May 22, 2001 at Gratiot Community Hospital in Alma.

Mrs. Huston was born February 15, 1923, in Bay City, to Claude and Mae (Spencley) Sevener. She married Robert Huston in 1974 in West Branch and was a homemaker.

She is survived by her husband, Robert, of Grayling; children Robert Vollmar of Brethren, Lowell Vollmar of Clarkston, Kenneth Vollmar of Davidson, and Vicki Williams of Grayling. She is also survived by many grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and sister, Leona Stone of Ravenna.

Mrs. Huston was preceded in death by her parents.

Memorial or funeral service plans have yet to be made.

Arrangements by Helms Funeral Home, Mt. Pleasant.

Alfred George Semrow

May 19, 2001

Alfred George Semrow, 75, of Roscommon (South Branch Township) died Saturday, May 19, 2001. Mr. Semrow was a retired Detroit Edison electrician. Funeral services were held May 24 at Walsh Funeral Home in Roscommon. Memorial donations may be made to the Charles M. Engel, VFW Post #4159. Arrangements by Walsh Funeral Home, Roscommon.

Joseph G. Swanic

Nov. 13, 1955 - May 24, 2001

Joseph Gregory Swanic, 45, of Grayling died May 24, 2001.

Funeral services were held May 28 at Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel.

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Rene and Kathy Trudgeon of Grayling announce the arrival of Josie Marie and Dana Lee born May 14, 2001.

Dannie and Kelly Ray of Grayling announce the arrival of Amiaha Merce Ray born May 16, 2001.

William Denno and Kama Case of Grayling announce the birth of Ginnia May Denno born May 12, 2001.

RANGE FIRING

Range firing scheduled from May 30 through June 5:

The Range 40 Complex, air to ground, located north of County Rd. 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Road and west of County Rd. F97 (Twin Bridge Rd.) Bombing and strafing firing conducted. May 30: commence firing 7 a.m., cease fire 5 p.m.; May 31: 7 a.m. to 11 p.m.; June 1: 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., June 4-5 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The Range 40 Complex, located north of County Rd. 612, east of Sherman Rd., south of Old State Road 618, and west of County Rd. F97 (Twin Bridge Rd.). Military maneuvers and artillery firing. June 1: 1 p.m. to 11:30 p.m.; June 2: 5:56 a.m. to 11:30 p.m.; June 3: 5:56 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Small Arms Ranges, located west of Lake Margrethe, north of Howe Rd., east of the gas pipeline and south of Portage Creek. June 1-3: 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.; June 5: 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Range 15, located south of the main post, bounded on the west by Cadillac Road and on the east by Carrier Road. June 2: 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

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MILITARY NEWS

Grayling native, Wendy A. Gee, a Commander in the U.S. Navy, will relinquish command of Navy Recruiting District Dallas, Texas, where she has served since August, 1998. Her next assignment will be the Deputy Director of Navy Pay and Allowances for the Chief of Naval Personnel, Washington, D.C.



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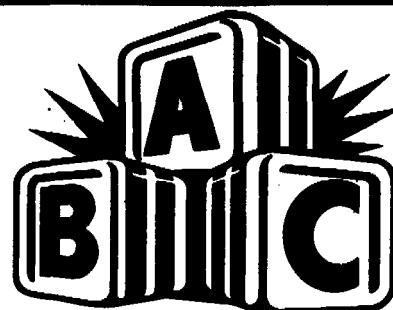
Megin Marie Southworth of Grayling, and Benjamin Brad Koeplinger of Midland were united in marriage on Saturday April 14.

The double-ring ceremony held at the Grayling Kingdom Hall was officiated by Megin's grandfather Donald Condy of Owosso.

Friends and family celebrated with Ben and Meg during dinner at the Grayling Country Club.

The newlyweds now reside in Midland.

Megin is the daughter of Jerry and Alesia Southworth of Grayling.



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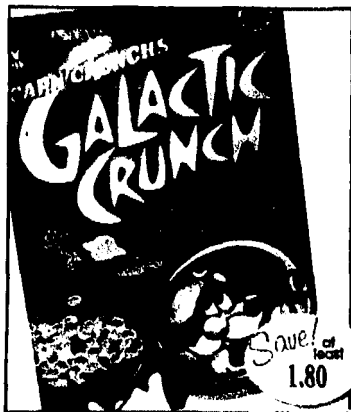
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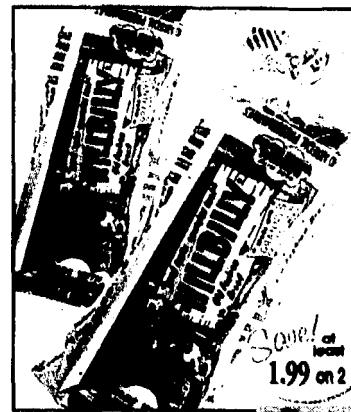
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JV baseball 3B

Softball Districts to be held this week

Vikings edged by West Branch, Lake City

► Varsity softball team falls to Falcons 4-3, 10-7; Lake City edges GHS 4-3, 6-3

In recent doubleheaders, the GHS varsity girls softball team lost close games to the Falcons of Ogemaw Heights and Lake City, and fell to Tawas in Grayling 12-2, 11-0.

On May 16, the Vikings lost to West Branch in Grayling by scores of 4-3 and 10-7.

"Grayling played very well," said Coach Donna Boughner. "West Branch made some great throws to take away key runs. The girls hit the ball well, we had four doubles."

In game one, Arica Wolcott batted 1 for 2, and Jamie Dent and Emily Fox each hit 1 for 4. Wolcott scored twice, and Dent scored one run for GHS.

In the second game, Dent was 1 for 3 with 1 RBI and 1 run scored; Fox batted 1 for 3 with 2 RBI; Wolcott was 1 for 3 with 1 RBI and 1 run scored; Ashley Wolcott batted 1 for 2 with 2 runs scored; Tab Harney had 1 RBI and 1 run scored; Nikita Sartin finished with 1 RBI and 1 run scored; and Ellis scored one run.

On May 18, the Vikings lost to the Tawas Braves 12-2 and 11-0 in Grayling.

"We were only working with nine players," said Coach Boughner. "The girls really worked hard to stay positive and have fun even though we were short-handed."

Continued on Page 6B

See "VIKINGS EDGED..."



Photo by Caleb Casey

Jamie Dent makes contact in game one of a series with the Tawas Braves. Dent batted 2 for 3 in the match and scored one run. Last week, Dent was 4 for 7 with two runs scored in a doubleheader against Lake City.

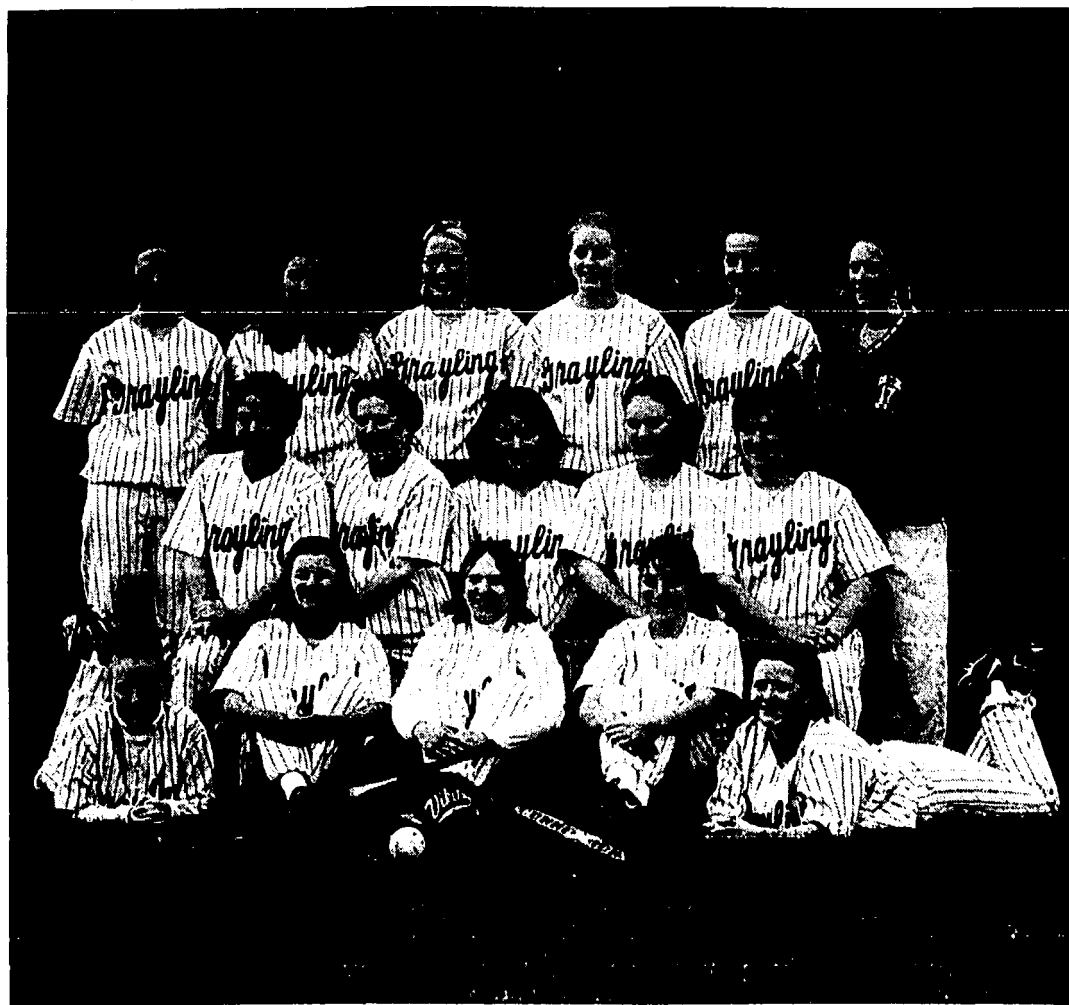
Two school records broken by GHS runner



Photo by Caleb Casey

Scott Latusek broke the GHS record for 1600-meter run and 3200-meter run times at last Wednesday's NEMC Track Meet in Bay City. For more on the boys track team, see Page 4B.

The GHS Junior Varsity Softball Team



The GHS junior varsity softball team: (front, left to right) Amanda Felver, Emily Harvey, Skylynn Palmer, Nikita Sartin, Lacey Smith; (middle, left to right) Ashley Morgan, Haylee Boardman, Tabitha Rashid, Kim Daniels, Heather Vandecar; (back, left to right) Heather Stamper, Sheryl Zarnick, Laura Gorski, Jessica Stewart, Patti Martella, Coach Bohdi Watts.

GHS to host District soccer tourney

Vikings to start play-offs in District semi-finals

► Soccer team to play the winner of Cheboygan vs. Roscommon

Grayling High School's varsity girls soccer team drew a first-round

"bye" in the District Tournament, and will face either Cheboygan or Roscommon in the semi-finals.

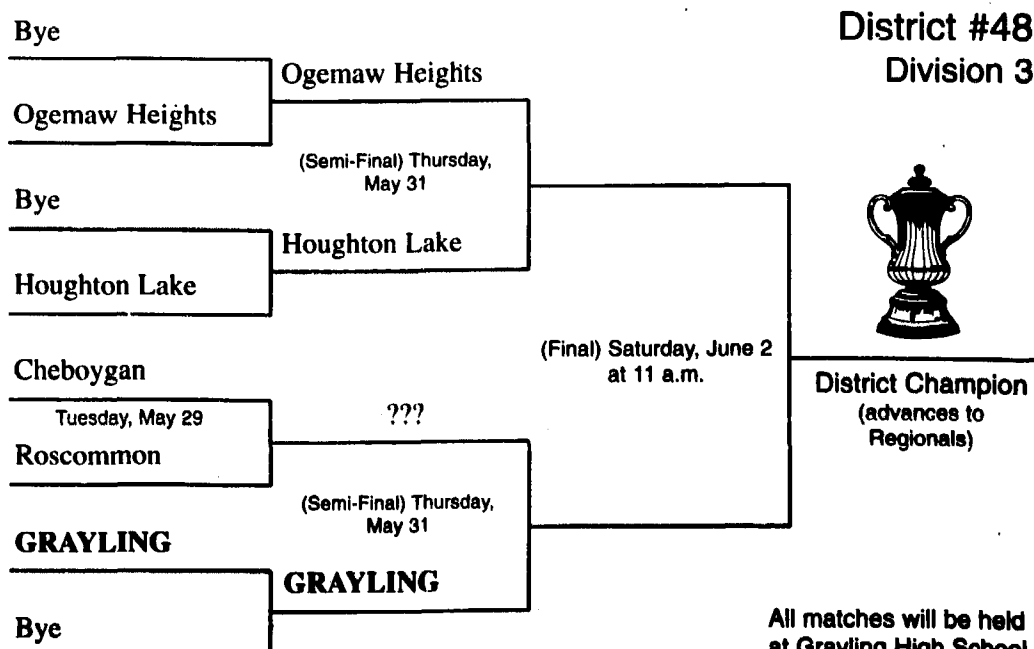
Grayling High School is hosting the District soccer tourney this season.

West Branch Ogemaw Heights and Houghton Lake also drew "byes" in the first round. The

Falcons and Bobcats will face each other in the first of two District semi-final matches on May 31.

The team that wins the Grayling vs. Cheboygan/Roscommon match will face West Branch Ogemaw Heights or Houghton Lake in the District championship game on Saturday, June 2, at 11 a.m.

Class 'B' Girls Soccer District



Vikings win big vs. Lake City



Larry Baynham rounds the bases after hitting a home run against Lake City last week.

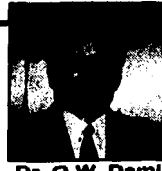


Photos by Dave Golnick

(Above) Varsity baseball team shortstop Levi Burkett rounds third after hitting a home run in last Tuesday's game against Lake City in Grayling. The Vikings had several homers in the game, and GHS won the contest by a large margin. (Left) Adam Kaiser leads off third base in the series with Lake City last week.

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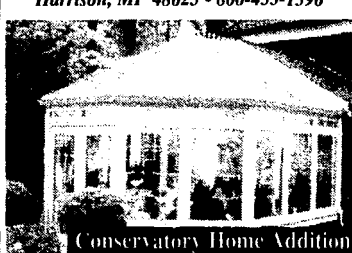
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JV baseball team splits with Pinny

► JV squad ends season with games against Spartans, Falcons, Braves

Grayling High School's JV baseball team split a doubleheader with the Pinconning Spartans on Friday, May 11, in Grayling. The Vikings won game one 13-5 but lost the second game 5-4.

Travis Gildner went the distance on the mound for GHS in the first game, and picked up the win. He struck out seven batters in the effort.

At the plate, the Vikings were led by Adam Kaiser and Joe Lange, both of whom finished the game with three hits. Kaiser had three RBI and Lange scored two runs.

In game two, Kaiser had three hits. Jesse Gildner and Jeff Xiong each had two hits.

Lange pitched the entire game for Grayling, and struck out four batters.

"We should have won both games," said Coach Mark Bartkowski. "Joe Lange pitched well enough for a victory in the second game, but errors cost us."

The Vikings lost two close games on May 15 in a series with the Falcons of West Branch Ogemaw Heights at West Branch. Ogemaw won the doubleheader 3-1, 11-10.

"The first game was well-played by both teams," said Coach Bartkowski. "In game two, we were down 7-0 and came back to take the lead 10-7. Although we eventually lost, it was a great comeback."

Lange went 2 for 3 in game one and scored Grayling's only run. Travis Gildner pitched the entire game for GHS and allowed only one earned run in the contest.

Kaiser, Chris Wakeley, and Andy Strohpaul each had two hits in the second game of the doubleheader. Wakeley and Jesse Gildner each had two RBI.

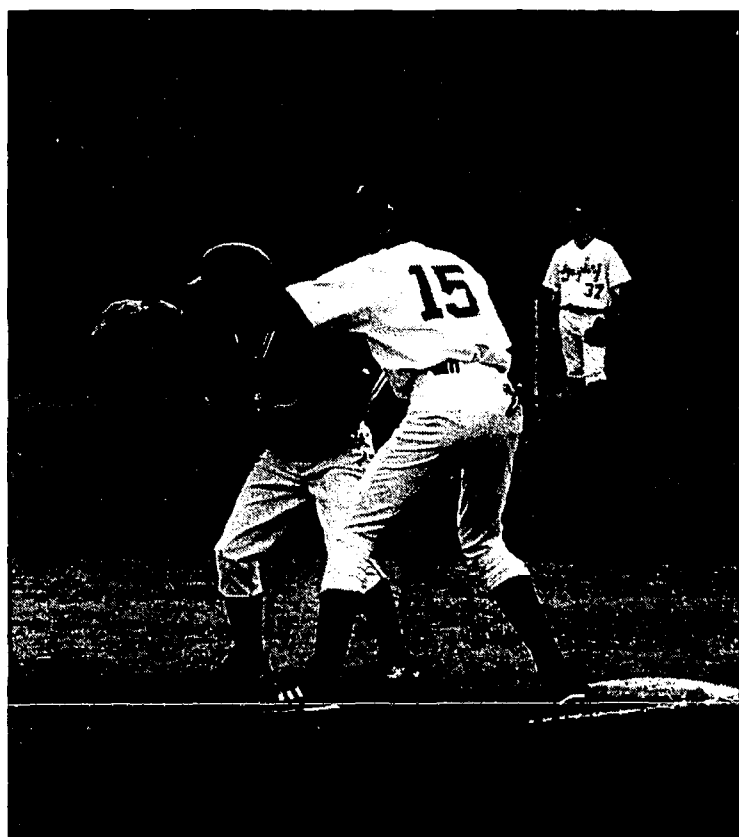


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Joe Lange holds a runner on at first base.

On Friday, May 18, the Vikings fell to the Tawas Braves 8-0, 12-2 at Tawas.

"Tawas played very well both games," said Coach Bartkowski. "They gave nothing away and hit the ball well. Each time we tried to put something together they came up with the defensive plays they needed."

Lee Schreiber and Lange had Grayling's only two hits in the first match. Wakeley went the distance on the mound for Grayling.

Travis Gildner pitched game two. At the plate, Schreiber, Kaiser, Lange, and Travis Gildner each had one hit.

The Tawas series was the JV team's last doubleheader of the year. The squad's matches with Houghton Lake and Lake City have been cancelled.

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Track squad finishes 2001 season

► Boys track team competes in NEMC Meet, Roscommon Meet of Champions

Grayling High School's boys track team wrapped up its 2001 season with the North East Michigan Conference Track Meet and the Roscommon Meet of Champions.

At the league meet last Wednesday in Bay City, Scott Latusek broke the Grayling High School record in both the 1600-meter run and the 3200-meter run with times of 4:46 and 10:37, respectively. Latusek took third place in the 1600-meter, and 2nd in the 3200-meter run.

Paul Jansen took 6th place in the 300-meter intermediate hurdles with a personal best time of 0:44.759.

Michael Salyers posted a personal best in the 800-meter dash with a time of 2:18.4. Keil Clough had his best time in the 300-meter intermediate hurdles (0:49.9) and his best career shot put throw (33') at Bay City.

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See "TRACK SQUAD..."



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GHS track athlete Bob VanNuck carries the baton during a relay race.



Dan Corwin competes in the 3200-meter run for Grayling.

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Boys Track
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Scott broke the school record in both the 1600-meter run and 3200-meter run at the NEMC Meet last Wednesday, then matched those performances by winning both events at the Roscommon Meet of Champions on Friday.

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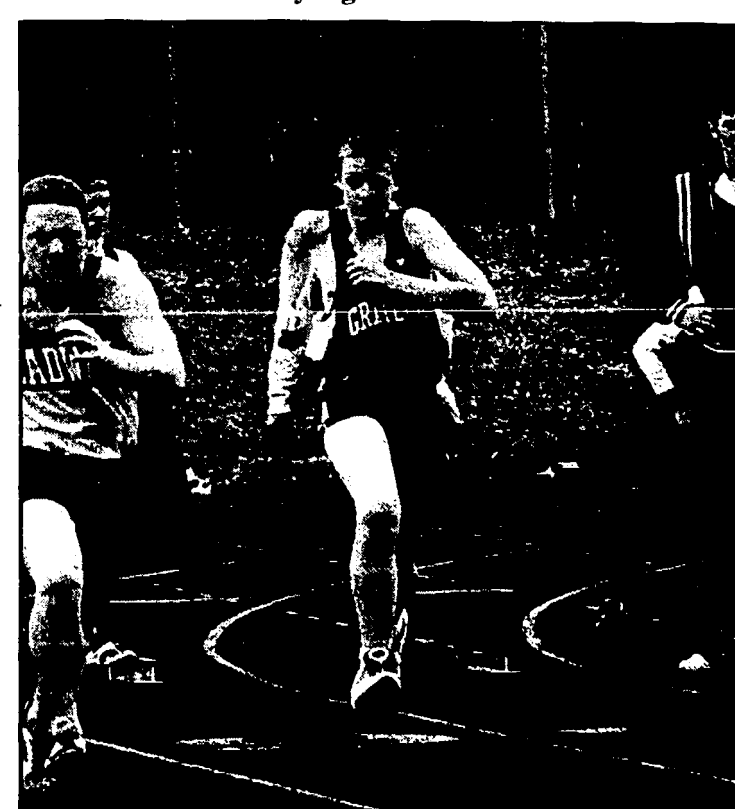
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Steve Stilson competes in a dash event for GHS.

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Track squad finishes 2001 season

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Grayling's 1600-meter relay team (Jansen, Latusek, Bob VanNuck, and Aaron Mead) had its best time of the season at 3:53.0. The 1600-meter relay team took 5th in the event.

As a team, the Vikings finished 7th out of eight conference teams on Wednesday.

"We went to Bay City with a team goal of beating Pinconning," said Coach Scott Cousineau. "The guys performed very well and achieved their goal. Finishing seventh in the league meet may not look very successful, but if you could see how much they have improved over the season, you would understand how much of a victory this was for the team."

On Friday, the team competed in its last meet of the season, the Roscommon Meet of Champions.

For Grayling, Latusek took 1st place in both the 1600-meter run (4:46.55) and 3200-meter run (10:38.25). Jansen placed 2nd in the 300-meter intermediate hurdles with a time of 0:44.17, a personal best.

Justin Manier took 5th in the 100-meter dash (0:12.49) and the 200-meter dash (0:24.88); Salyers finished 6th in the 800-meter dash with a time of 2:15.7, a personal best; and the 1600-meter relay team (Jansen, Latusek, VanNuck, and Dan Corwin) took 5th place with a time of 3:52.53, Grayling fastest time of the season in the 1600-meter event.

"This was a great way to end our season," said Coach Cousineau. "The kids were relaxed, had a lot of



Photos by Caleb Casey and Dave Golnick

Art Graube takes the baton from Dan Corwin during a relay race.

fun, and ran that way, putting Latusek's double win in the 1600-meter and 3200-meter sets him up

for a big year next year."

"Paul Jansen ran his best race of the season, as did Mike Salyers," said Coach Cousineau. "Finally, the 1600-meter relay team dropped its time another second and has seen a 12-second improvement in the past two weeks. I'm very proud of them all."



Michael Salyers runs with the baton during a relay race.



Victor CdeBaca runs in a dash event for the Vikings.

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Dent batted 2 for 3 with 1 run scored in game one. Arica Wolcott was 1 for 2 and also scored a run. Ellis was 1 for 2 in game two.

The Tawas pitchers struck out 17 batters in the series.

Last Tuesday, the Vikings were edged by Lake City at Lake City 4-3 and 6-3.

Dent batted 3 for 4 in game one, and had one run scored. Sartin was 1 for 3 with a run-batted-in, and Harney finished with 1 RBI.

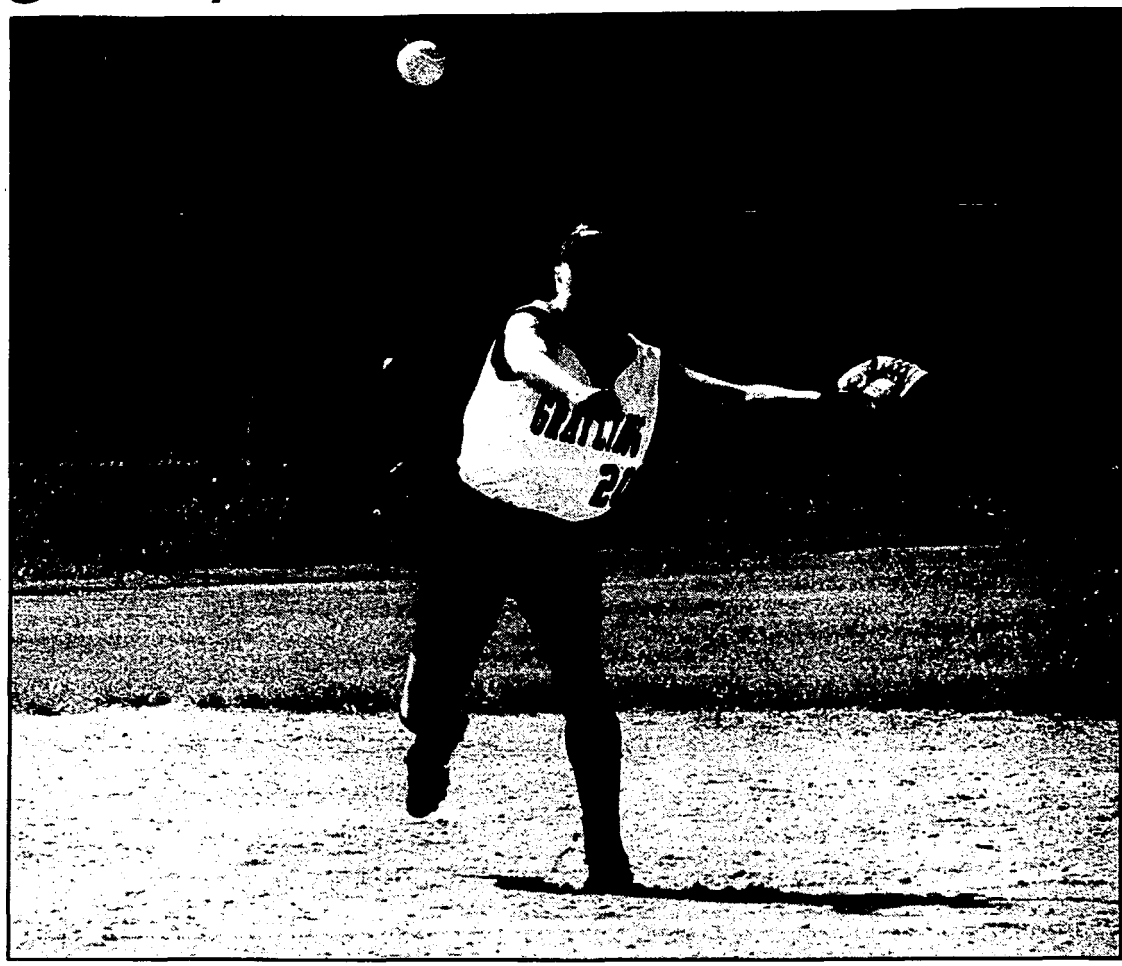
Dent was 1 for 3 in game two with 1 run scored; Ashley Wolcott was 1 for 3 with 1 RBI and 1 run scored; Arica Wolcott finished at 1 for 2 with 2 RBI; Tab Ketchum was 2 for 3.

"Jamie Dent's offense and defense were excellent, along with Wolcott's pitching and batting," Coach Boughner said. "Like many games, mental errors were the cause for the loss. The good news is the girls were hitting very well, and hopefully they'll continue that streak into Districts."

The Vikings open play in the District tournament on Tuesday, May 29, with a match against Harrison. If the Vikings defeat Harrison, they will play this Saturday (June 2) in Grayling against Roscommon in the District semi-finals.

On Saturday, June 2, Kalkaska and Houghton Lake are scheduled to play the first District semi-final game of the tourney at 11 a.m. The second semi-final match, between Roscommon and the winner of Grayling/Harrison, will be held after the Kalkaska/HL match.

The District championship game will be held after the second semi-final match on Saturday.



Photos by Caleb Casey and Dave Golnick
Lori Ellis throws to first base from third in a match against the Tawas Braves.



Arica Wolcott pitches for the Vikings against Tawas.



GHS shortstop Jamie Dent catches a pop-up.



Second baseman Skylynn Palmer flips to first base in game one of the Tawas series.

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► Camps for girls entering grades 3-5 and 6-8 to be held June 11-13 at GMS

Separate girls basketball camps for players entering grades 3-5 and 6-8 will be held on June 11-13 at Grayling Middle School.

The cost to participate in either camp is \$15 per athlete. Participants will receive a camp T-shirt.

Camps will include skills development, individual contests, guest speakers, team practice and team games.

The camp for girls entering grades 3-5 will run from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. on June 11-13 at GMS.

The camp for girls entering grades 6-8 will start at 1 p.m. and end at 4 p.m. on June 11-13.

To register for either camp, return the attached form (with payment) to Grayling Elementary School, Grayling Middle School, or Sylvester Sporting Goods by June 9.

For more information, contact Coach Bohdi Watts at 344-3606 or bwatts@casdk12.net

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MDA Golf Scramble set for June 29

► 2nd annual charity golf event to be held at Grayling Country Club

The 2nd annual Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA) Charity Golf Scramble, sponsored by Citgo Petroleum and Fick & Sons, will be held on Friday, June 29, at the Grayling Country Club.

More than 100 people helped support MDA at last year's inaugural event, which raised over \$7,000. Organizers hope to top that contribution with this year's charity golf scramble.

This year's golf outing will be a three-person, 18-hole scramble. Shotgun start will take place at 10 a.m.

Continental breakfast, lunch, and refreshments will be available on the course. There will be a steak dinner after golf.

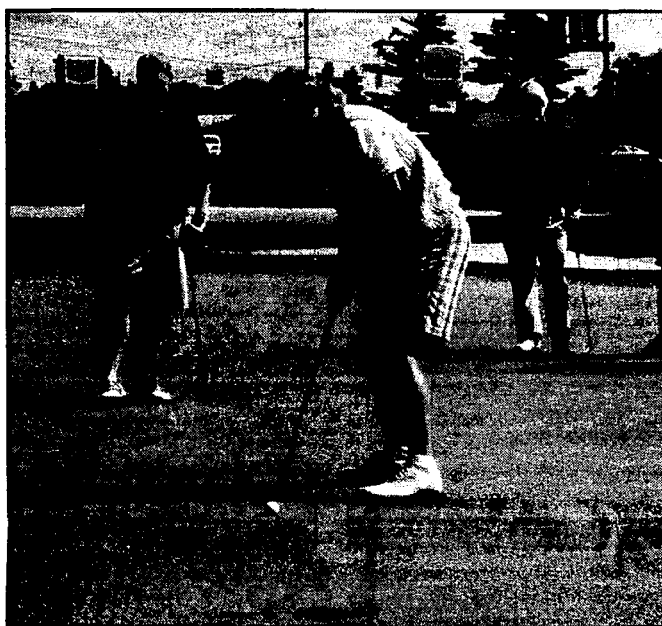
Cost to participate is \$60 per person.

There will be cash awards for the top men's and women's teams, and prizes for "longest drive," "closest to the pin," and "longest putt."

Organizers are currently seeking donations for door prizes, raffle prizes, and special event prizes such as golf bags, golf umbrellas, putters, golf balls, coolers, hats, shirts, etc.

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Last Year's MDA Golf Scramble

COUNTRY CLUB NEWS

by Donna Thomson

Wednesday Ladies League

Well folks, I'm back! The Wednesday Ladies League was rained out on May 16, but on Wednesday, May 23, we had our first day of sanctioned golf play.

An awful cold spell came through this week, but we just added another layer of clothes and braved the day. The sun peeked out once in a while, so it wasn't too bad.

In Flight A today, low net was taken by Connie Gates with a 31 and Marilyn Hartman had low putts of 15.

In Flight B, Shirley Bendig had a low net of 27 and there was a tie for low putts of 15 between Jo Ann Michal and Bev McNamara.

In Flight C, Mo McNamara had a

low net of 30 and Ann Latusek had low putts of 15.

In Flight D, Shirley Fuhlbrigge took it all with a low net of 30 and low putts of 17. She also had a birdie on #15.

Also in the news, Shirley Schultz had a chip-in on #7.

Again this year, Paul Thomson of Cornell Agency has donated golf towels to our league for an extra prize and this week's winner was Dottie Gleffe.

After all our "homework" was done, we enjoyed a nice lunch of a chicken breast, fruit, salad bar and cheesecake for dessert. Then, because the sun had warmed it up a few degrees, a few of us went back out and got in another nine holes.

That's all "fore" now.

LEGAL ACTION

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Gerald J. Respeski and Laurelee C. Respeski husband and wife (original mortgagors) to Citizens Bank F/A Grayling State Bank, A Michigan Corporation, Mortgagee, dated June 3, 1994, and recorded on June 7, 1994 in Liber 378, on Page 583, Crawford County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of TWENTY-THREE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED TEN AND 18/100 dollars (\$23,110.18), including interest at 9.250% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made

and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the front door of the County Building in Grayling, Michigan at 10:00 AM, on June 13, 2001.


Said premises are situated in CITY OF GRAYLING, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as:

Lot 12, Block 2, Hadley's Third Addition to the Village (Now City) of Grayling, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber 01, Page 13, Crawford County Records.

The redemption period shall be 6 month(s) from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

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Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that the mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the front door of the County Building in Grayling, Michigan at 10:00 AM, on June 13, 2001.

Said premises are situated in TOWNSHIP OF GRAYLING, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as:

All that part of the West 1/2 of the West 1/2 of the East 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 16, Town 26 North, Range 2 West, lying on the North side of Highway M-72, Crawford County Records.

The redemption period shall be 6 month(s) from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

PURSUANT TO SECTION 1692 OF TITLE 15 OF THE UNITED STATES CODE, YOU ARE HEREBY INFORMED THAT THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND THAT ANY INFORMATION THAT YOU PROVIDE MAY BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the terms and conditions of a certain Promissory Note and Mortgage bearing interest at 13.500% per annum made by Theodore J. Kolka, Jr., a/k/a Theodore John Kolka, a single man, Mortgagor, to MAF, Inc., Mortgagee, on November 4, 1999 and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford, State of Michigan, on December 1, 1999 in Liber 496 of Mortgages, Page 369, and subsequently

assigned, through mesne assignments, to EquiCredit Corporation of America, said assignment being recorded on March 6, 2001 in Liber 530 of Mortgages, Page 074, and

WHEREAS, the amount claimed to be due on said Mortgage as of the date of this Notice is the sum of Forty Five Thousand Four Hundred Thirty Two and 93/100ths Dollars (\$45,432.93), for principal, interest and insurances, and

WHEREAS, no suit or proceeding at law or equity has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof, and default having been made whereby the power of sale contained in said Mortgage has become operative;

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on June 13, 2001, at 10:00 a.m., local time, said Mortgage shall be foreclosed at sale at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door to the County Building, Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, (that being one of the places of holding Circuit Court in said County), of the premises described in said Mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said Mortgage with the interest thereon at the applicable note rate and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fee allowed by law, and also any sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises.

The premises described in said Mortgage is located in the Township of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan and legally described as:

Lot 13, Pinecrest Subdivision, according to the recorded plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 2 of Plats, Page 1, Crawford County Records.

Tax Identification No. 20-040-45-640-00-013-00

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the period of redemption, pursuant to MCL 600.3240, shall be six (6) months from the date of the sale; unless said premises are abandoned, in which event the redemption period shall be thirty (30) days, pursuant to MCL 600.3241.

Dated: April 30, 2001
EquiCredit Corporation of America
Martin H. Neumann
Attorney for Mortgagee
6810 S. Cedar Street, Suite 16
Lansing, MI 48911
(517) 694-3300

-10-17-24-31

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CRAWFORD

46th Judicial Circuit Court, 200 W. Michigan Ave., Grayling, MI 49738

File No. 97-4390-DO
HEATHER N. GRAD, n/k/a
HEATHER N. BUSH
Plaintiff,

vs
ROBERT J. GRAD,
Defendant.
LAW OFFICE OF DEAMUD & BENNETT
By: Robert W. Bennett (P-44262)
Attorney for Defendant
3179 W. Houghton Lake Drive
Post Office Box 407
Prudenville, Michigan 48651
(517) 366-8032

ORDER TO ANSWER AND FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION
At a session of said court held on May 4, 2001.

Present: Honorable Alton T. Davis - Circuit Judge
On October 30, 2000, Defendant filed a Motion to Amend Judgement of Divorce. Defendant was unable to serve to the Plaintiff with Notice of Hearing for said Motion, and therefore:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED: That the Plaintiff, HEATHER N. GRAD, n/k/a HEATHER N. BUSH, shall on or before the June 27, 2001, file her answer or response to Defendant's Motion to Amend Judgement with this Court and serve her answer or response on, ROBERT W. BENNETT, attorney for the Defendant, whose address is 3179 W. Houghton Lake Drive, P.O. Box 407, Prudenville, MI 48651, or take such other action as may be permitted by law. Failure to comply with this Order may result in the Court granting the relief requested in Defendant's Motion to Amend Judgement of Divorce.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: That a copy of this Order be published once a week for 3 consecutive weeks, or for such further time as this Court may require, in a newspaper in the County where Defendant resides, if known, and if not known, in the County where the action is pending.

It is further ordered: That publication commence not later than the 16th of May, 2001; and continue through the 6th day of June, 2001, and that the Defendant not be required to mail a copy of this Order to the Plaintiff because he does not know the present address of the Plaintiff and could not ascertain any address after diligent inquiry.

Dated: May 4, 2001.
Alton T. Davis
Circuit Court Judge

-17-24-31

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CRAWFORD

Carpenters Pension Trust Fund - Detroit and Vicinity,
Plaintiff,
v

Forest Dunes, L.L.C., et al.
Defendants.
Case No. 00-5132-CZ
Notice of Foreclosure Sale

In Pursuance and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, State of Michigan, made and entered on the 12th day of January, 2001 (Case No. 00-5132-CZ), notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public sale to the highest bidder, at the Courthouse in the City of Grayling, at the Courthouse steps on Wednesday, June 20, 2001, at 10:00 a.m., the following described premises, viz: all that certain piece of parcel of land situate in the Township of South Branch, Crawford County, Michigan, commonly known as 6349 Forest Dunes Drive,

Roscommon, Michigan 48653, more particularly described as follows:

Parcel 1
Sections 2 and 3, T25N-R2W, South Branch Township, Crawford County, Michigan: EXCEPT the plats of South Branch Ranch Unit No. 1 and South Branch Ranch Unit No. 2 and Chandra Village.

Parcel 2
South Branch Ranch Unit No. 1, being a part of the West 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 2, and part of the East 1/2 of Section 3, T29N-R2W, recorded in Liber 3 of Plats, page 21, EXCEPT the following lots: 9 through 41 inclusive; 51 through 77 inclusive; 79 through 92 inclusive; 99 through 111 inclusive; and 114 through 118 inclusive.

Parcel 3
South Branch Ranch Unit No. 2, being a part of the Southeast 1/4 of the East 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4, Southeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 and the Southwest 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 3, T25N-R2W, recorded in Liber 3 of Plats, page 40, EXCEPT the following lots: 150 through 154, and 238 through 245.

Parcel 4
Chandra Village, being parts of the Southeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4, the Northeast 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4, and the Northwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 3, T25N-R2W, recorded in Liber 4 of Plats, page 16.

EXCEPTING THE PHASE 1 PARCEL (AS DESCRIBED)

The sale of the Mortgaged Property shall be as a single parcel free and clear of all easements, liens, encumbrances and claims arising since April 28, 1998, the date that the Mortgage was recorded with the Crawford County Register of Deeds. The sale is subject to liens and other restrictions recorded before April 28, 1998, none of which are foreclosed by the Judgement of Foreclosure.

Forest Dunes, LLC, and all persons claiming or to claim from or under Forest Dunes, LLC, shall be forever barred and foreclosed of and from all equity of redemption, and claim of, in, and to the Mortgaged Property, if not redeemed within six months from the date of the sale.

Bank One f/k/a NBD Bank
Mortgagee

Dated: April 9, 2001
Brandt, Fisher, Alward & Roy, P.C.
By: Thomas R. Alward (P-31724)
Attorney for Mortgagee
401 Munson Avenue, P.O. Box 5817
Traverse City, Michigan 49696-5817
(231) 941-9660

-26-30-10-17-24-31-7

STATE OF MICHIGAN 46TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT CRAWFORD COUNTY PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF FRIEND OF THE COURT ANNUAL STATUTORY REVIEW

PUBLIC NOTICE ANNUAL REVIEW OF PERFORMANCE RECORD OF THE FRIEND OF THE COURT

Under Michigan law the chief circuit judge annually reviews the performance record of the Friend of the Court. The review will be conducted on or about July 1, 2001. This review is limited by law to the following criteria: whether the Friend of the Court is guilty of misconduct, neglect of statutory duty, or failure to carry out the written orders of the court relative to a statutory duty; whether the

purposes of the Friend of the Court Act are being met; and whether the duties of the Friend of the Court are being carried out in a manner that reflects the needs of the community. Members of the public may submit written comments to the chief judge relating to these criteria. Send your written comments, with your name and address, to: Honorable Alton T. Davis, Chief Judge, 200 W. Michigan Avenue, Crawford County Courthouse, Grayling, Michigan 49738.

-17-31

STATE OF MICHIGAN CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CRAWFORD

File No. 01-15443-CK
Candace K. Medeiros,
Plaintiff,

vs
Retirement Accountants Incorporated, Hugh Cameron, and heirs, assigns, and devisees, of Hugh Cameron, Mid-Ohio Securities Corporation, Spectrum Mortgage, Spectrum Mortgage Group, Inc. Defendant.

Carey & Jaskowski, P.L.L.C.
By: Richard J. Jaskowski (P47123)
Attorney for Plaintiff
2373 S. I-75 Business Loop
P.O. Drawer 665
Grayling, MI 49738
(517) 348-5232

ORDER TO ANSWER

To: Mid-Ohio Securities Corporation and Spectrum Mortgage and Spectrum Mortgage Group, Inc.

1. An action has been filed against you regarding certain real estate in Crawford County, Michigan.

2. It is ordered that you shall file your answer with this Court and serve it upon the attorney for the Plaintiff, or take such other action as may be permitted by law, within 28 days of the last publication of this order.

3. Failure to comply with this Order may result in a judgment by default against you for the relief demanded in the complaint.

4. It is further ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for the three consecutive weeks in Crawford County, Michigan, the county in which the Defendants last resided.

Dated: May 24, 2001
Honorable Alton T. Davis
Circuit Court Judge
Carey & Jaskowski, P.L.L.C.
By: Richard J. Jaskowski (P47123)
Attorney for Plaintiff
2373 S. I-75 Business Loop
P.O. Drawer 665
Grayling, MI 49738
(517) 348-5232

-31-7-14

NOTICE OF SALE

Default having been made in the condition of certain mortgage made the 30th day of March, 1998, by Michael A. Mosher and Wassana Tomczak, to NORTHWESTERN SAVINGS BANK & TRUST, and recorded on April 2, 1998 in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan, in Liber 450, Page 378, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice **Fifty Four Thousand One Hundred Thirty Seven and 96/100 (\$54,137.96) Dollars** and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt, secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale in said mortgage contained having become operative by reason of such default.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Wednesday, June 27, 2001 at 10:00 o'clock in the morning in the lobby of the Crawford County Courthouse, located at 200 West Michigan Avenue, Grayling, MI 49738, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, together with legal costs and charges of sale, including an attorney fee of Seventy-Five (\$75.00) Dollars provided by law and in said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described as follows, to wit:

Real property located in the Township of Grayling, County of Crawford, Michigan, more particularly described as Lot 29, Grayling Manor, according to the recorded plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 2 of Plats, Page 10, Crawford County Records.

The redemption period shall be six (6) months from date of sale.

Dated: May 9, 2001
NORTHWESTERN SAVINGS BANK & TRUST, Mortgagee
CALCUTT, CUNNINGHAM, DAVISON,
ROGERS & BOYNTON
by: Jack E. Boynton (P23137)
109 E. Front Street, Suite 300
Traverse City, MI 49684

-24-31-7-14

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE DISTRICT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF ROSCOMMON

File No: Y-01-1177-GC
NORTH CENTRAL AREA CREDIT UNION
Plaintiff,

vs
JONATHAN THOMAS,
Defendant.
HESS & HESS, P.C.
By: Troy B. Daniel (P54719)
Attorneys for Plaintiff
319 Lake Street, P.O. Box 726
Roscommon, MI 48653
(989) 275-5184

NOTICE OF ACTION
On the 20th day of March 2001, an action was filed by North Central Area Credit Union, Plaintiff, against defendant, in order to collect a debt owed to Plaintiff by Defendant.

Defendant, JONATHAN THOMAS, shall answer or take other action permitted by law within 28 days after the last date of publication. If defendant does not answer or take other action within the time allowed, a judgment may be entered against him for the relief demanded in the Complaint.
DATED: May 15, 2001
HESS & HESS, P.C.
By: Troy B. Daniel (P54719)
Attorneys for Plaintiff
319 Lake Street, P.O. Box 726
Roscommon, MI 48653
(989) 275-5184

-24-31-7

GRAYLING TOWNSHIP NOTICE

Applications will be accepted by the Grayling Township Supervisor until 4:30 p.m. June 15, 2001, from persons interested in serving as a member of the Grayling Township Zoning Board of Appeals.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING AND BUDGET HEARING

The Frederic Township Board of Trustees will conduct a Special Meeting on Thursday, May 31, 2001 at 1:00 p.m.

The purpose of this meeting is to discuss and adopt the Township Budget for the fiscal year 2001-2002.

"The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this hearing."

All meetings are held in Frederic Township Hall, located at 7564 Co. Road 612, Frederic, Mich. 49733.

Nancy L. Bindschatel, Twp. Clerk

BEAVER CREEK TOWNSHIP NOTICE OF BUDGET PUBLIC HEARING FOR GENERAL & SPECIAL FUNDS

The Beaver Creek Township Board will hold a public hearing on the proposed Township budget of fiscal year 2001-2002 at the Beaver Creek Township Hall, 8888 South Grayling Road, Grayling, MI 49738, on Monday, June 11, 2001, at 7:30 p.m., during the regular Board Meeting.

The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this hearing.

A copy of the budget is available for public inspection at the Beaver Creek Township Hall.

This notice is posted in compliance with P.A. 267 of 1976, as amended, MCLA 41.72a (2)(3) and the Americans with Disabilities Act. The Beaver Creek Township Board will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials being considered at the meeting, to individuals with disabilities at the meeting upon 10 days notice to the Township Board. Individuals with disabilities should contact the Board by writing or calling Sharon K. Hartman, Clerk, at the Township Hall, (989) 275-8878.

A copy of this notice is on file in the office of the Clerk.

Sharon K. Hartman, Clerk

-24-31-7

REGULAR SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF REGULAR ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF CRAWFORD AUSABLE SCHOOL DISTRICT CRAWFORD, OTSEGO AND KALKASKA COUNTIES, MICHIGAN TO BE HELD JUNE 11, 2001

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the regular election of the school district will be held on Monday, June 11, 2001.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7 O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING AND CLOSE AT 8 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING.

At the regular school election there will be elected two (2) members to the board of education of the district for full terms of four (4) years ending in 2005.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCIES:

Karl Schreiner
James E. Tobin

Write-in candidates must file a Declaration of Intent on or before 4 p.m. Friday, June 8, 2001.

THE VOTING PLACES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

PRECINCT NO. 1

Voting Place: Grayling Middle School Building, in the City of Grayling, Michigan. The first precinct consists of all the territory of Grayling Township, City of Grayling, a portion of Beaver Creek Township, and a portion of Bear Lake Township (Kalkaska County).

PRECINCT NO. 2

Voting Place: The Frederic Elementary School. The second precinct consists of the territory of Frederic Township, Maple Forest Township, and a portion of Otsego Lake Township (Otsego County).

PRECINCT NO. 3

Voting Place: The Lovells Township Hall. The third precinct consists of the territory of Lovells Township.

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

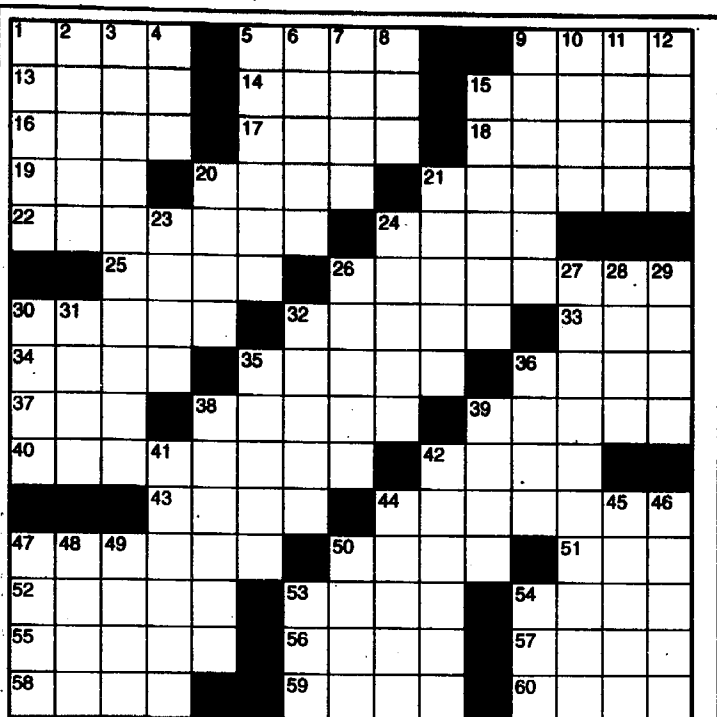
This Notice is given by order of the board of education.

Carol E. Ramaswamy
Secretary, Board of Education

FACTS AND

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ACROSS

1. Beer flavoring
5. Butterfly catchers
9. Undulating
13. Slips
14. Confederate general
15. Minor film part (2 wds.)
16. Another time
17. Lack
18. Prolonged pain
19. Johnny's bandleader
20. Old soldiers
21. Fast, at La Scala
22. Like surgical conditions
24. Rain heavily
25. Treasurer's collection
26. Kings and knights
30. Pay out
32. "Beetle Bailey" egghead
33. Clean air org.
34. Suspend
35. Hair
36. _____ were (so to speak) (2 wds.)
37. And so forth: abbr.
38. English county
39. The _____ kid
40. First name in

DOWN

2. Ready _____ here I come! (2 wds.)
3. Priority
4. Opposite of NNE
5. Stair posts
6. Overjoy
7. ATM bills
8. _____ the record straight
9. Bets
10. Biblical prophet
11. Louver
12. Spool toy
13. Renowned tenor
20. Competed
21. Sonneteers
23. Chair part
24. Stage
26. Salesperson
27. Couriers
28. Like a DeMille film
29. Alliance acronym
30. Women
31. Walkway
32. Consumer's concern
35. The other ones
36. Verdi opus
38. Worked very hard
39. Before horse or pit
41. Pipe smoker's tool
42. Houses and land
44. Paddler
45. Holy scroll
46. Unyielding
47. Rhyme writer
48. Small case
49. City near Mauna Loa
50. Actress Gilbert "Roseanne"
53. Home of the "Favit Towers"
54. Lakers' league: abbr.

ANSWERS IN CLASSIFIEDS

A LOOK AT OUR PAST FROM THE PAGES OF THE AVALANCHE

23 Years Ago June 1, 1978

Athletes of the Year awards were announced recently by the Grayling High School Coaching Staff. Winners this year were Randy McClain and Carol VanNuck, both seniors.

Crawford County Sheriff Curt Haas reported today that his department spent a busy Memorial Day Weekend, issuing over 30 citations during the weekend patrol. Fifteen arrests were made and 20 traffic citations were issued.

Grayling High School has announced their Valedictorian for the Class of 1978 as Patricia Ann Duley, daughter of Jim and Rose Duley. She has maintained a 3.967 average all four years of high school. The Salutatorian of the Class of 1978 is Elizabeth Jackson, daughter of Kenneth and Paula Jackson. Elizabeth has maintained a 3.818 grade point average all four years of her high school education.

Jay Stephan and John Baker, both of Grayling, paddled to a first place finish in the 16th Annual running of the General Clinton Canoe Regatta held this Memorial Day in New York state. The pair finished the 75 mile stretch along the Susquehanna River from Cooperstown to Bambridge, New York in 8 hours 14 minutes. They copped a \$1,000 first prize for their efforts.

Teacher of the Year selected by a student poll is announced as Warren "Butch" Hayes.

Grayling High School's Baseball squad for the 1978 season, headed by Coach Warren "Butch" Hayes, consists of, Scott Zigila (Manager), Jerry Luckstead, Drake McClelland, Jake

Helsel, Larry Crouch, Dale Metzger, Chuck Golinick, Kevin Bowden, David Cox (Manager), Tim Bitner, Louis Middleton, Geoff Stancil, Chris Austin, Dave Schreiber, Pat Hankins, Sherm Holey and Assistant Coach Fred Wolcott.

46 Years Ago June 2, 1955

Now showing at the Rialto Theatre, "Underwater" starring Jane Russell, and Richard Egan: "Hell Below Zero" starring Alan Ladd and Joan Tetzel.

A & P Food Stores has sliced bacon on sale for 43 cents, two heads of lettuce for 29 cents and swiss cheese 8 oz. packages for 39 cents.

Folks can't resist Valley Lea buttermilk, during June's Festival of Better Living. Hunter's AuSable Dairy offers your first quart of Valley Lea buttermilk for 17 cents and your second quart for one penny. June is dairy month!

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Neff of Comins had a baby girl on May 31.

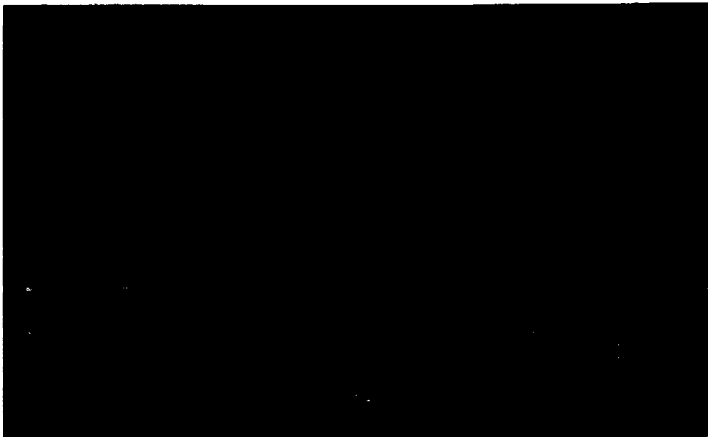
Mr. and Mrs. Clement Sajdak of Frederic are the parents of a boy born May 2.

Mr and Mrs. Vernor Rasmussen have a daughter, Anna Marie, born May 27.

Mr. and Mrs. James Myer of Roscommon announce a girl, SusAnn Marie, born May 25.

Peterson Hardware Company offers a reward for the oldest vacuum cleaner in town. First prize is \$50, second prize is \$35 and third prize is \$25.

Col. Roy C. Vandercook, summer resident on the AuSable River east of Grayling, will retire July 1 as manager of the Michigan Railroad association. George H. Wyatt, association president,



Grayling Highs baseball squad (1978) under head coach Warren "Butch" Hayes consists of, bottom row (left to right); Scott Zigila (Mgr.), Jerry Luckstead, Drake McClelland, Jake Helsel, Larry Crouch, Dale Metzger, Chuck Golinick, Kevin Bowden and David Cox (Mgr.). Back Row (left to right); Coach Hayes, Tim Bitner, Louis Middleton, Geoff Stancil, Chris Austin, Dave Schreiber, Pat Hankins, Sherm Holey and Asst. Coach Fred Wolcott.

announced the first of this week.

The Grayling PTA closed the season with something less than a bang, it had anticipated last week. However, a president was elected for next year. Ted Wheeler accepted the nomination and set up ten aims to be worked toward during his term.

69 Years Ago June 2, 1932

Thorvald Hanson accompanied by Vigor Michelson and H.J. Damm of Detroit spent the weekend here at the Algot Johnson cottage at Lake Margrethe, coming to enjoy fishing. They also visited at the home of Sam Rasmussen. Mr. Hanson was a former resident in Grayling, having clerked at the old Salling Hanson Company store 30 years ago.

92 Years Ago June 3, 1909

Half our people were on the streets

last Friday evening, enjoying the delightful weather and the open air concert by the best band in northern Michigan.

Mrs. Seeley Wakeley is happy over a visit from her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Link of Detroit. The ladies can visit while the "boys" are fishing.

The Grayling band has been engaged to play for two days at the Home Coming celebration at Bay City, Monday, July 5, and Tuesday, July 6. One of the invited guests for the celebration is David Shoppengans who will have a place of honor in the Pioneer parade.

On Monday evening, June 7, a party of friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. O. Sorenson gave them a pleasant surprise, the event being their 25th wedding anniversary.

Archie Howse is having a nice new barn erected on his farm in Maple Forest and it is well started.

RECIPE OF THE WEEK

2-3 corn tortillas
Cooking spray
2 tbsp olive oil
1 tbsp lime juice
3/4 tsp salt
2 tbsp coriander
1 can (14 1/2oz) Mexican-style tomatoes with liquid
1 can (15oz) black beans, drained and rinsed
2 tbsp canned jalapeno peppers

1/2 cup diced red onion
1 package cut corn, cooked according to package directions
1 package lima beans, cooked according to package directions

Spray tortilla strips lightly with cooking spray; cut into thick strips about 3x1/4-inches. Place on cookie sheet; bake in preheated 350 degree F oven about

10 minutes or until lightly browned; cool and set aside. In large bowl, whisk together oil, lime juice, salt, and coriander. Add tomatoes, black beans, jalapeno peppers, onion, corn, and lima beans; toss to coat. Cover and refrigerate 3 to 4 hours. Pour in larger salad bowl and sprinkle with tortilla strips. Makes 8 servings.

Mexican Black Bean Salad

HOROSCOPES

For the week of June 4 thru June 10

ARIES

(Mar. 21 - April 20)

Your creative talent will prove to be lucrative. You are exceptional at presenting your ideas. Help regarding your goals is likely and profits will surely follow. Sudden romantic infatuations may take you by surprise. You can meet new mates and enjoy mental stimulation if you join worthwhile groups. Your lucky day this week will be Tuesday!

TAURUS

(Apr. 20 - May 20)

Career advancement can be yours if you provide your best efforts. Changes that are occurring around you may be alarming; however, acceptance will be your best reaction. Travel will prove to enlighten you. Advice given by relatives or close friends will help you understand the situation that surrounds you. Your observations will be valuable. Your lucky day this week will be Saturday!

GEMINI

(May 21 - June 21)

Opportunities to travel will develop. Take the time to complete unfinished business. Love will present itself through social activities you participate in. A Leo may play an important role. Your contribution to the club you are involved in will enhance your reputation and bring you the recognition you desire. You will be able to find solutions to other people's problems. Your lucky day this week will be Wednesday!

CANCER

(June 22 - July 22)

You can make progress in business ventures. Take time to discuss your ideas with coworkers concerning a more efficient method of doing things. Romance will develop through social activities related to work. Financial losses are likely if you get involved in joint ventures or risky investments. Your temper will flare up when dealing with children. New relationships will develop through group endeavors. Your lucky day this week will be Tuesday!

LEO

(July 23 - Aug. 22)

Emotions regarding your personal life will create problems if you're not direct and positive. Take time to show affection toward your mate. If you reassure them of your feelings you can save yourself a lot of grief. You will be accident-prone if you take action without thinking first. Your anger will escalate at an emotional level when dealing with peers. For best results try to be introspective. Your lucky day this week will be Wednesday!

VIRGO

(Aug. 23 - Sept. 22)

Pleasure trips and social activity will be entertaining. Satisfy your passionate mood. The contributions you make to organizations will enhance your reputation. Your high energy will enable you to accomplish more than your colleagues. Make travel arrangements that will be conducive to business as well as pleasure. Take your mate and make an honest attempt to revitalize the relationship. Open and honest communication will help solve the dilemmas you face. Your lucky day this week will be Friday!

LIBRA

(Sept. 23 - Oct. 23)

Put your greatest efforts into your professional endeavors. Social events will promote new romantic ties. Investments must be conservative. Think twice before you sip. Your best efforts will unfold through real estate opportunities. Residential moves will be to your advantage. Family members may be unreasonable. Your lucky day this week will be Thursday!

SCORPIO

(Oct. 24 - Nov. 21)

Put your energy into self-improvement programs. Competitive games will be your forte. You can easily impress others with your generous nature. Travel will promote romantic connections. Opportunities to travel and communicate with individuals who can help you achieve your goals are present. Sudden infatuations are likely through work-related events. Your lucky day this week will be Friday!

SAGITTARIUS

(Nov. 22 - Dec. 21)

You will have an abundance of energy. Immerse yourself in work-related projects where you will receive the biggest paycheck. You can gain popularity with superiors and coworkers. You will enjoy taking trips that will enhance your knowledge. Visits with friends or relatives will be enjoyable. Romantic opportunities will develop through educational groups you belong to. Your lucky day this week will be Monday!

CAPRICORN

(Dec. 22 - Jan. 19)

Getting together with family and friends will be conducive to meeting new romantic partners. You will be in the mood for love and your outgoing nature will open doors that lead to new avenues. Sudden good fortune can be yours if you take a chance. Deal with government agencies or any red tape you have hanging over your head. Be secretive about your personal life. Your lucky day this week will be Friday!

AQUARIUS

(Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)

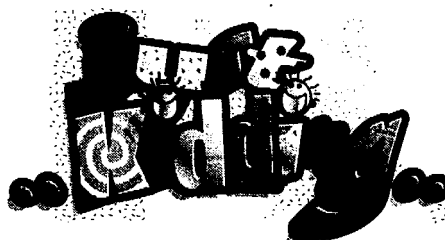
You may want to take extra-special care of your luggage if you are traveling today. You will find yourself in a romantic situation. Be careful not to come on too strong. Changes are necessary to improve efficiency. Love interests will develop through work. Be discreet in order to avoid rumors. Your lucky day this week will be Saturday!

PISCES

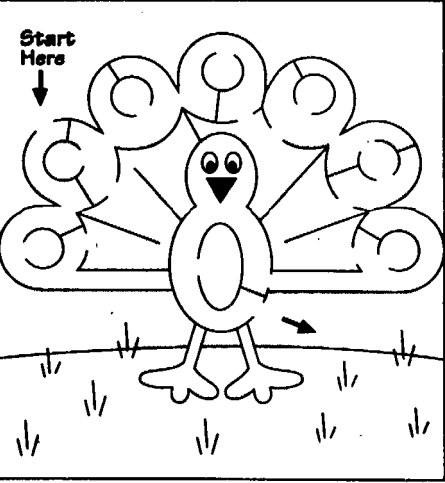
(Feb. 19 - Mar. 20)

Don't let situations get out of hand. Make sure that you have all the pertinent facts before you take action. False information from someone trying to create problems should be expected. Put some of your innovative ideas into your work. Friends will bring you opportunities. Don't hesitate to ask for advice or favors. New love interests will surface if you get involved in groups. Your charm will entice possible mates. Your lucky day this week will be Tuesday!

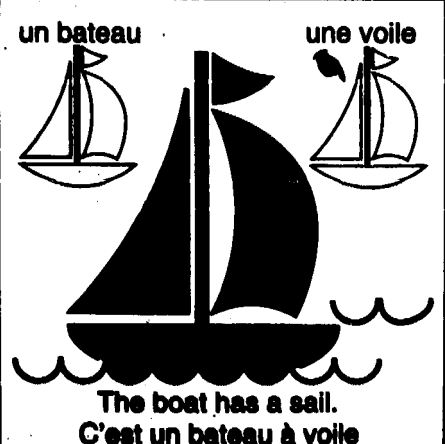
FOR ENTERTAINMENT ONLY!



MAZE



Learn Some French



Adopt a Pet



This 6 month old, black/brown/white female is looking for a home. This adorable girl, is Collie/Rott/Shepherd mix. Please if you are interested in taking this adorable puppy home please call the Crawford County Animal Shelter at 348-4117.

The Animal Shelter of Crawford County is a non-profit organization and welcomes donations. Indicate on your donation Operations (regular expenses) or Project Fund (a new shelter); mail to: ASCC, P.O. Box 384, Grayling, MI 49738. Donations needed: shovels, towels and blankets, dog and cat food, treats and toys, kitty litter, buckets, bleach, tennis balls, paper towels and toilet paper. The Animal Shelter is located at 508 1/2 Huron Street (M-72 East), between the Road Commission and the Eagles Hall. Winter hours are 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Mon-Fri; 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Sat; and 9 a.m. to 12 noon on Sun.

WEATHER					
Courtesy of the City of Grayling					
Extended Forecast					
(Courtesy of the U.S. Excite Weather)					
Date	H	L	Rain	Weather	Weather
5/23	61	38		Mostly Clear	Scattered Showers
5/24	63	45	0.04	High 63	High 68
5/25	66	48	0.58	Low 43	Low 45
5/26	62	47	0.42	High 63	High 66
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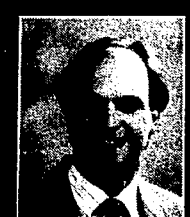
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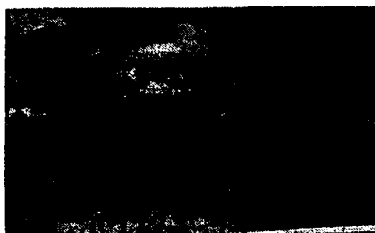
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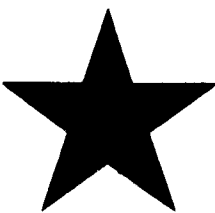
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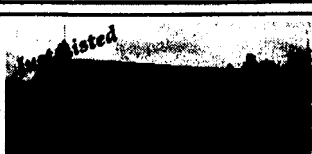
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Larry L. Akers
Director
Crawford Emergency Central Dispatch

2. Employment

PHLEBOTOMIST Mercy Hospital Grayling is looking for a lab attendant, Phlebotomist, for a full time position. The Lab Attendant is responsible for blood specimen collection and other related clinical and clerical duties. Previous hospital Phlebotomy experience. Computer data entry skills are necessary. We offer competitive wages and excellent fringe benefit package. Qualified candidates may apply at Mercy Hospital Grayling, Human Resources, 1100 Michigan Ave., Grayling, MI 49738. 989-348-0528. Fax 989-348-0485. (-31/3)

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT Mercy Hospital. Grayling is looking for the exceptional person to fill a position as an Administrative Assistant. The successful candidate will have a high school diploma (or GED equivalent) with two years of college or business school preferred. Must have three to five previous secretarial experience preferably in health care. Typing 60 wpm. Good oral and written communication skills. Interested persons please contact, Mercy Hospital Grayling, Human Resources Department, 1100 E. Michigan Ave., Grayling, MI 49738. Phone 517-348-0528. Fax 517-348-0485. (-31/3)

DENTAL ASSISTANT needed full time for a growing patient centered office. If you desire to be a valued member of a professional team dedicated to high quality care, please call Dr. Karrie Royce at 989-275-1919. (-24-31/3)

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3. Employment

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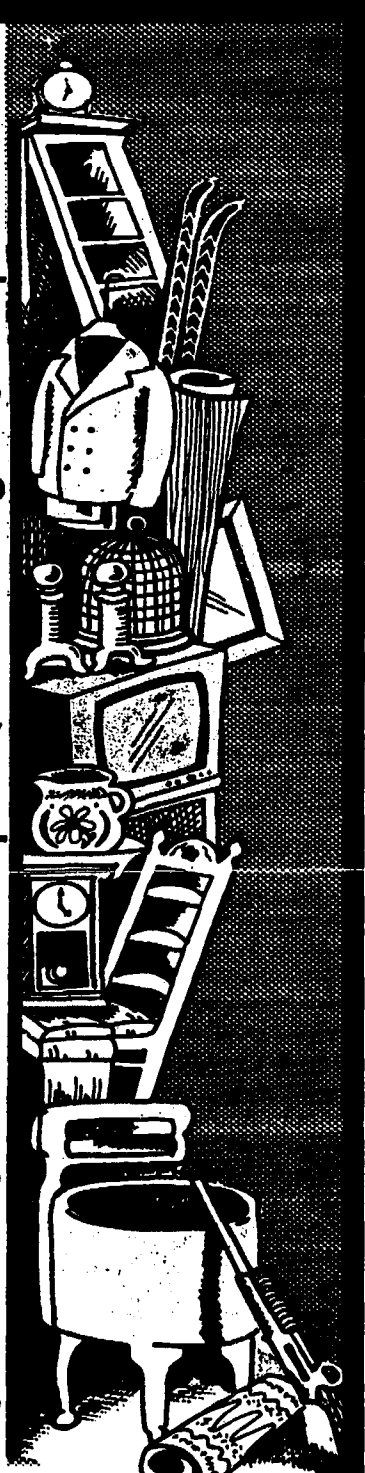
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COMING SOON New daily dinner specials at Skyline Ski and Country Club. Italian, Mexican and Cajun specialties. (3/15/01tf/8)

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AS OF MONDAY, March 19th Skyline Ski and Country Club will begin remodeling for the Golf Pro Shop and landscaping around the lodge and parking area. We will also be preparing for the repaving of Skyline Road from top to bottom. Because of construction scheduling the lounge and restaurant will not be open until 4:30 p.m. Monday thru Friday until construction is completed. (4/5/01tf/8)

WIN A FREE GOLF or Ski Membership for 2002 at Skyline Ski and Country Club. Enter our "Name The New Course" contest. We are looking for suggestions for a name for our new Golf Course. The winner will receive their choice of a free membership for golf or skiing. Entry forms are available from our wait staff only during the hours the lounge and restaurant are open. Only one entry per visit. See our other classified ads for our daily specials and hours of operation. (5/24/01tf/8)

TO THE FAMILY and friends of the late Connie (Small Vojinov) Ennis. Our family shares the grief of the loss of a family member. But all should know and understand the perspectives of the tale that was told How embellished on and changed, being only one side heard and the other not allowed to be proven or heard. All concerned should be slow to judge or condemn, without knowing and understanding all sides of the whole documented truth. For some day you and your family may be wrongly accused and judged by such insidious people. (-31/9)

NOTICE TO Past and Present Jazzercise students. Classes are moving to Kenbukan Karate Club in Frederic. Please pick up weights and mats at the courthouse by June 9, 2001. (-31/9)



Happy 18th Birthday
May 30th
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HUGE GARAGE SALE Three families. 72 East and Stephan Bridge Rd. June 2 and 3. 9-4. (-31/10)

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1998 Buick LeSabre Custom - beige with leather and only 34,000 miles! Stock #4636	Was \$15,998.....	Blowout Price \$15,488
1998 Buick Century Custom - Nice clean car with power options. V6, white, only 29,000 miles. Stock #466525	Was \$13,998.....	Blowout Price \$13,488
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2000 Dodge Durango SLT - V8, 3rd seat, really sharp and doesn't cost \$35,000. Stock #4545	Was \$25,998 Now \$25,588.....	Blowout Price \$24,998
2000 Chevrolet S10 2000 Extended Cab 4x4 3 dr. - Wow! What a hot truck! Loaded and standing tall! Stock #4564	Was \$19,998 Now \$19,688.....	Blowout Price \$19,288
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1999 Dodge Durango SLT - wheel drive, 3 seats, loaded! Really sharp and priced right! Stock #17668-1	Was \$20,998.....	Blowout Price \$19,998
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1999 Chevrolet Suburban 3/4 Ton 4x4 - What a trailer puller! If you pull anything heavy, you need to see this one. Stock #17644	Was \$26,998 Now \$26,688.....	Blowout Price \$24,488
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June 2 & 3, 2001

Saturday, June 2

8:00am	Check in & register for the Hanson Hills Challenge Trail Run (HHTCR) at the Little Smokey Cross-Country Lodge
9:00am	(HHTCR) Race Start
1:00pm	Guided Mountain Bike Ride
6:30pm	Bike Polo

Sunday, June 3

8:00am	Men's Softball Tournament
8:30am-2pm	Hanson Hills Mountain Bike Challenge Registration & Pre-registration Pickup
10:00am	Quarter Mile Fundraiser
10:00am	Cross Country Race #1-ELITE & EXPERT Classes
12:00pm	Mountain Bike Ministry Non-Denominational Worship
12:30pm	Cross Country Race #2-SPORT Classes
1:00pm	Awards for Race #1
2:15pm	Specialized/SUBARU Kids' Cup Race - Awards to all!
2:45pm	Cross Country Race #3-BEGINNER Classes
4:30pm	Awards for Races #2 & #3, prize drawing & Fun Promotions water bottle toss

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High school choirs close out 2000-2001 season



Photo by Cheryl Ruley

The Grayling High School Chamber Singers and Concert Choir, under the direction of Karen Ross, back up Sarah Harland (left) and Stephanie Wakeley (right) as they sing "If You Believe" from Walt Disney's "Prince of Egypt." The high school singers closed out their 2000-2001 performance season on May 8 in the Joseph Stripe Auditorium. Harland and Wakeley were accompanied by pianist Debbie Schreiner and two young ladies from Gaylord (far right) who interpreted the song into international sign language. Senior members received traditional choral award plaques, and Anne Nettleton and Lindsey Knapp were chosen by Ross for Director's Awards.

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New crime victim rights law takes effect June 1

A new law sponsored by State Senator William Van Regenmorter (R-Georgetown Township) to strengthen crime victim rights in Michigan, will take effect on June 1, paving the way for greater privacy and higher restitution for crime victims.

"This law will prevent victims from suffering the humiliation of having their photographs and other representations resulting from a crime being made available to the public," Van Regenmorter said. "Including this and a number of other provisions, this legislation secures significant gains for crime victims in our state."

When it takes effect, Public Act 503 of 2000 (previously Senate Bill 1180) will:

- exempt visual representations of the victim's private parts or sexual contact involving the victim from public access through the Freedom of Information Act;
- require victims to be notified when the per-

petrator is transferred from a non-secure facility in one location to a non-secure location elsewhere;

- require victims to be notified if the criminal defendant in his or her case is released on bail;
- allow victims to designate a representative if the victim is physically or emotionally unable to make an impact statement to the court;
- expand restitution to include future costs related to the crime;
- allow the court to order up to three times the actual amount of loss if the victim is killed or suffers serious impairment;
- require a court to order wage assignments for employed defendants who owe restitution;
- strengthen the enforcement and collection of restitution;
- require prosecutors to inform victims promptly of significant appeal decisions; and

- clarify the mandates for victims' rights prosecuted under city ordinance.

The new provisions reinforce Michigan's Crime Victim Rights Act and constitutional amendment, both authored by Van Regenmorter. Before the constitutional amendment's overwhelming approval by Michigan voters in 1988, the state constitution provided rights for criminal defendants without even a mention of victims. The Crime Victim Rights Act and constitutional amendment have served as models for the legislation of other states and the federal Crime Victim Rights Act.

"Michigan has led the nation in the area of recognizing and enforcing the rights of crime victims," Van Regenmorter said. "This new law will help keep Michigan in the forefront, while demonstrating the need for continued watchfulness and improvement."

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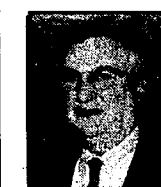
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great full is neat and sports with a very cheerful decor. The kitchen features all oak cabinetry and includes stove, refrigerator, washer and dryer. Yard is landscaped with a blacktop driveway. #4664 \$109,000 Ask for Randy Thompson!

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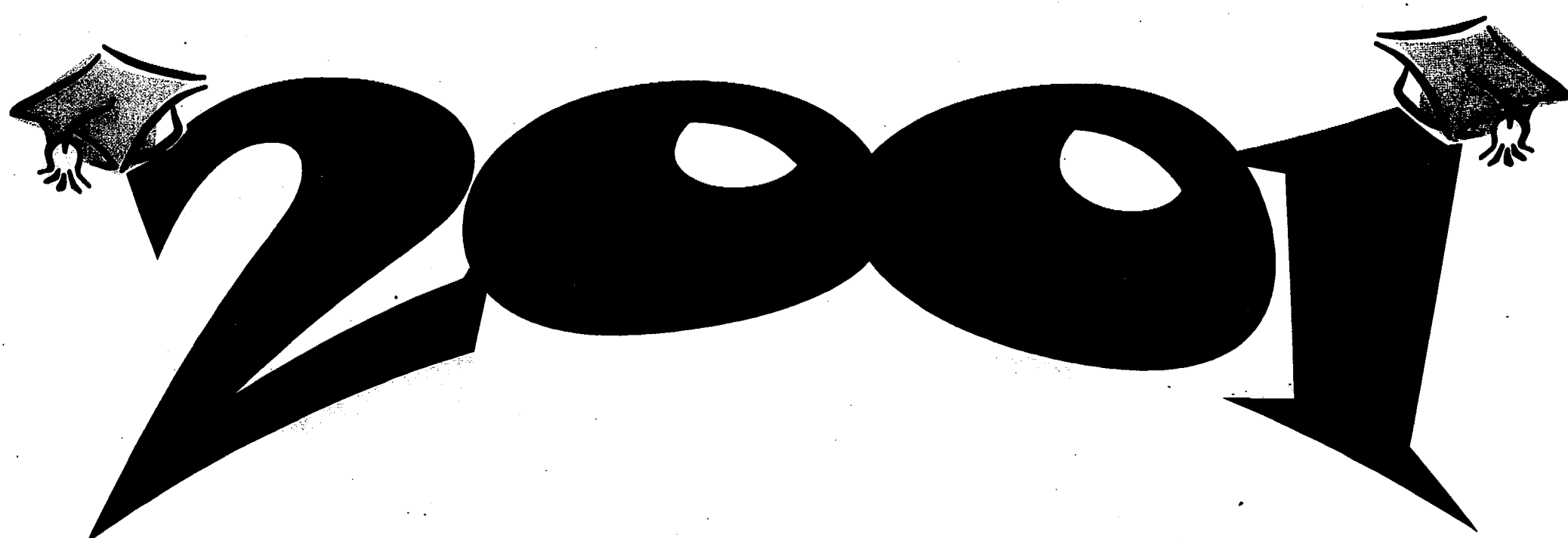
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Kim Ruley**


Class Motto

**"We laughed when
they said we
wouldn't want to
leave, and we cried
when they told us
we had to."**

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Ryan,
We wish for you every good thing in life. We know you will accomplish great things!
Love, Mom, Dad and Casey



**Congratulations
Danielle Outman!**

Your energy & personality are an inspiration to all who know you. Good luck, we're proud of you.
Love, Mom, Barry & Danae

GRADUATION EXERCISES
Commencement
Friday, June 1, 2001
Grayling High School Gymnasium
Program begins at 8:00 p.m.
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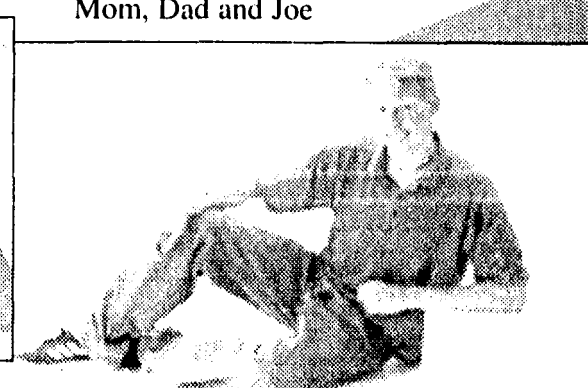
Your graduation is quite an accomplishment! You worked long & hard for it, and we wish you all the best in the years to come.
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Hanging around in the hallway are the boys from Mrs. Golnick's third hour Persuasive and Research writing class. The boys posed for one last picture before their senior year was over. (Back L to R) Matt Thomas and Nick Baynham. (Front L to R) Brandon Cox, Victor CdeBaca, Glenn Price, Chris Peters and Josh Petrie. (Kim Ruley Photo)

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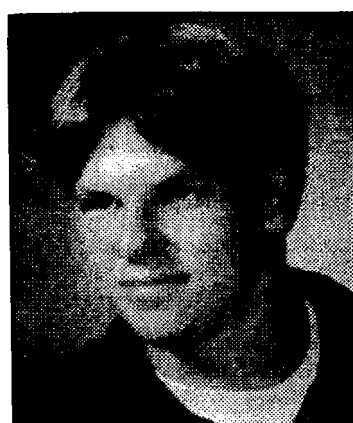
Jessika Ablaller, no response.



Jennifer Lynn Alma, daughter of Rex and Marilyn Alma, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon. Her major is undecided.



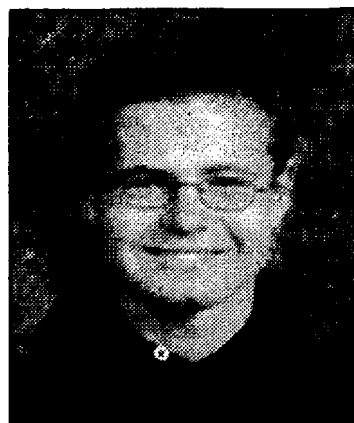
William Armstrong, plans to attend Northwestern Michigan College in Traverse City, where he will major in criminal justice. He hopes to have a career in corrections.



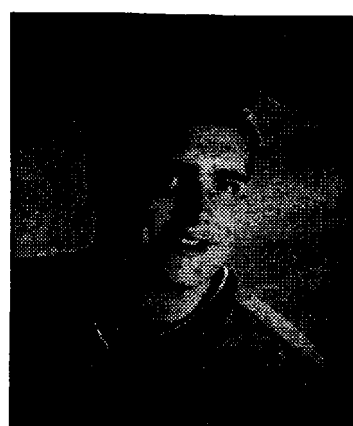
Jason Arwood, no response.



Chris Awiszus, no response.



Christoph Bastian, son of Heike and Michael Bastian and host parents, Ruth and Jack Pilon, plans to go back to school in Germany at Gymnasium Rovershagen in Rovershagen, Germany.



Nick Baynham, no response.



Pete Belcher, son of Gail and Peter Belcher, plans to attend Ferris State University in Big Rapids, where he will major in film. He hopes to direct motion pictures.



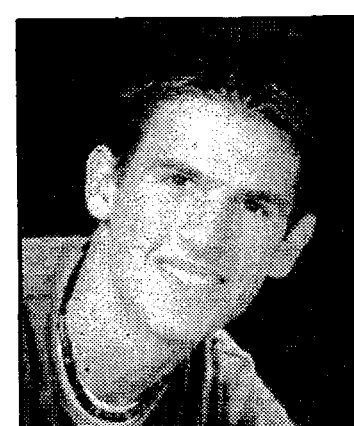
Matt Birk, son of Douglas Birk and Carol Hnot, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon, where he will enter the health care program. He plans to major in pharmacology.



Marcus James Bobenmeyer, son of Joy Rasmussen and Keith Bobenmeyer, plans to attend Grand Rapids Community College in Grand Rapids. His major is undecided.



Alfred William Borchers, III, son of Bill and Charlean Borchers, plans to attend Lake Superior State University in Sault Ste. Marie. His major is undecided.



Levi Bruce Burkett, son of Bruce and Marcy Burkett, plans to attend Concordia College in Ann Arbor or Kirtland Community College in Roscommon. His major is undecided.



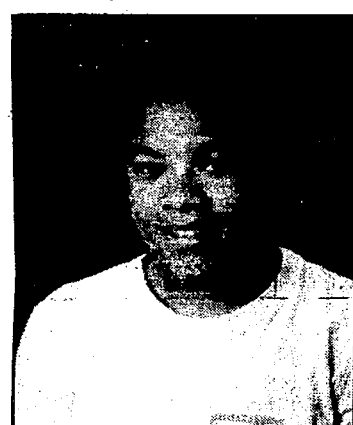
Carrie Ann Cadeau, daughter of Charlie and Sherri Cadeau, plans to attend Lake Superior State University in Sault Ste. Marie, where she will major in education. She hopes to become an elementary school teacher.



Victor CdeBaca, no response.



Jason Collen, son of James and Sandra Collen, plans to attend Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant, where he will major in social studies and secondary education. He hopes to become a high school teacher.



Candace Conley, no response.



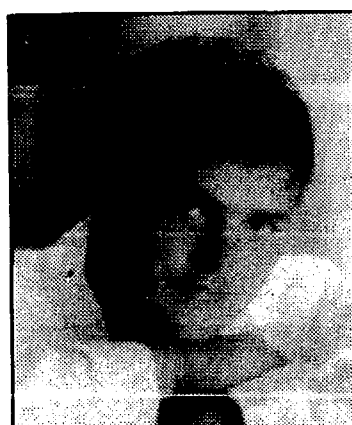
George Robert Cooper, Jr., son of Kelly and George Cooper, plans to coach the Grayling Powerlifting Team and have a job that he loves.



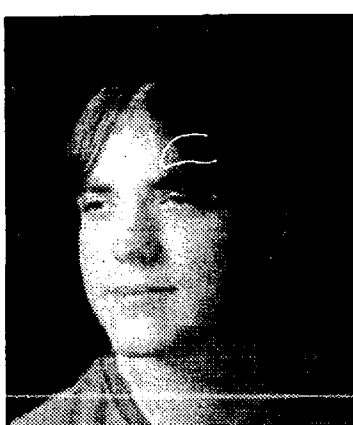
Dan Corwin, no response.



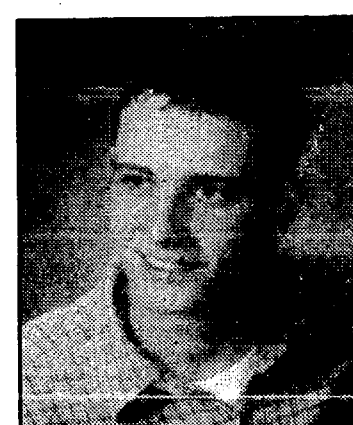
Brandon Cox, son of Gordon and Sheila Cox, plans to attend Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant. His major is undecided.



Kenneth Cox, son of Ken and Stacey Cox, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon, where he will major in architecture.



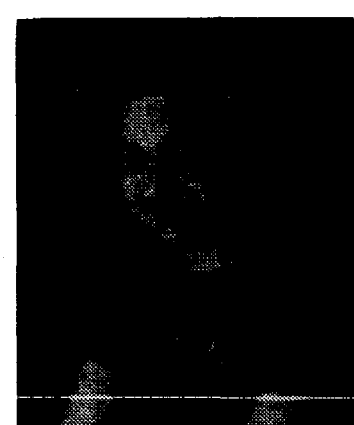
Kyle H. Crawford, son of Quin Sutton and James Crawford, plans to attend Grand Rapids Community College in Grand Rapids, where he will major in environmental engineering.



Joel Thomas Cummings, son of Verna and John Meharg, plans to obtain a job at GPH in Crosswell. He plans to learn as much as he can about the business. He also plans to attend college after one year.



Mike D'Amour, son of Monty and Patty D'Amour, plans to attend Northwood University in Midland, where he will major in sports management.



Wendy L. Dedafoe, daughter of Cindy and Larry Dedafoe, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon, where she will major in education. She hopes to become a teacher and move to the Upper Peninsula of Michigan.

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Mike DesMoines, no response.



Jenna Lee Marie Eddy, daughter of Tammy Carpenter, plans to attend Saginaw Valley State University in Saginaw, where she will major in science and medicine. She hopes to become a registered nurse.



Miranda Jane Ellis, daughter of Daniel and Deborah Ellis, plans to marry Rodney Silk on June 2. She plans to attend Ferris State University in Big Rapids, where she will major in therapy. She hopes to become a physical therapist.



Nathan Everson, son of Phyllis and Ron Everson, plans to attend Grand Rapids Community College in Grand Rapids, where he will major in accounting or business. He plans to work at Ponderosa in Gaylord.



Monique Fagan, daughter of Alan and Julie Fagan, plans to attend Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant, where she will major in optometry. She hopes to become an optometrist.



William Fairbotham, son of Bill and Charlotte Fairbotham, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon, where he will major in welding. He hopes to own his own business.



Shawn Patrick Ferrigan, son of Lynn Hunter and Patrick Ferrigan, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon, where he will major in Criminal Justice. He hopes to become a state trooper.



Angela Rebecca Fisher, daughter of Pam and Fred Fisher, plans to attend the School of the Art Institute of Chicago in Chicago, IL, where she will major in art theory and criticism. She wants to be a rock star when she grows up.

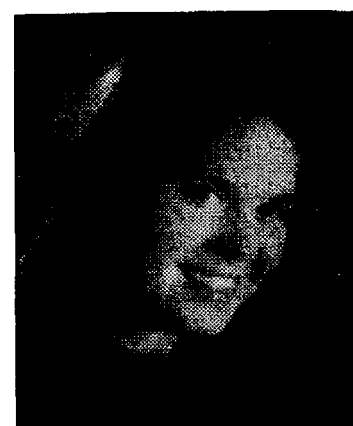
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Dancing away at her last Homecoming, Rachel Hunt, grooves to the fullest extent. "I'm really glad that all of my friends decided to come. It was one of the most memorable experiences of my life," said Hunt. (Kim Ruley Photo)



Nicole Ellen Fissette, daughter of Arthur and Tina Fissette, plans to attend Alma College in Alma, where she will major in international business.



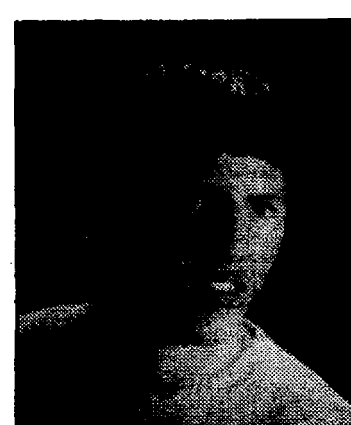
Carolyn Marie Fleischmann, daughter of MaryAnn Frick and David Fleischmann, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon, where she will study to become a nurse's assistant. She will also be working at Kmart.



Emily Elizabeth Fox, daughter of Gary and Denae Fox, plans to attend Lake Superior State University in Sault Ste. Marie, where she will major in education. She hopes to become a high school social science teacher.



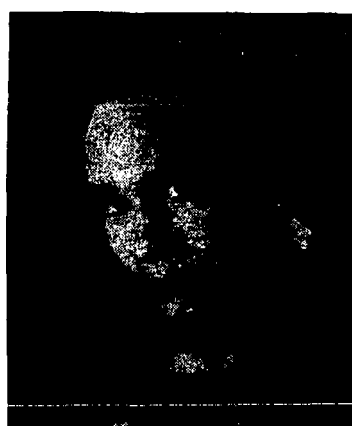
Laura Marie Gassman, daughter of Bill and Julie Gassman, plans to attend Grand Valley State University in Allendale, where she will major in language arts. She hopes to become an elementary school teacher.



Matt Ginther, son of Mark and Julie Ginther, plans to attend Michigan Technological University in Houghton, where he will major in mechanical engineering and business management. He hopes to work for a car company as an engineer.



David Golnick, son of Linda and Chris Golnick, plans to attend Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant, where he will major in English. He hopes to become a teacher.



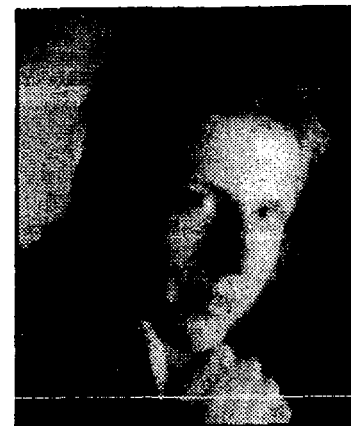
Bradley R. Gorski, son of Robert and Judith Gorski, plans to attend Aquinas College in Grand Rapids. His major is undecided, but he hopes to become a chiropractor.



Derek Jon Gregorich, son of Jon and Dianne Gregorich, plans to attend Lawrence Technological University in Detroit, where he will major in mechanical engineering. He hopes to become an automotive engineer.



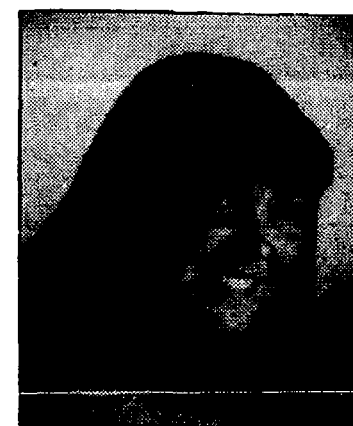
James Harland, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon, where he will major in business.



Jonathon "Jroy" Harland, son of Kim and Bruce Fasel and Steve and Brandon Harland, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon, where he will major in computers or business. He hopes to become a commercial arts designer.



Amy Hanson, no response.



Tabitha Elaine Harney, daughter of Jack and Sherry Harney, plans to attend Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant, where she will major in elementary education. She hopes to become an elementary school teacher.

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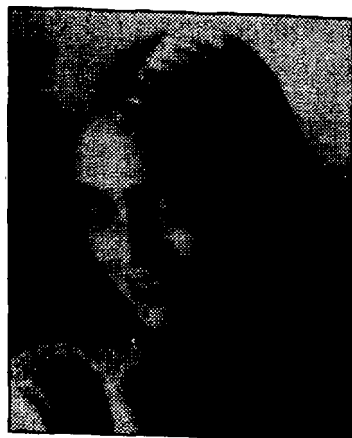
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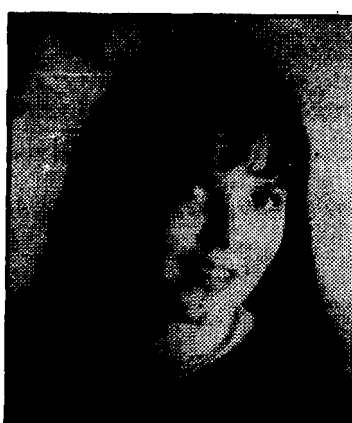
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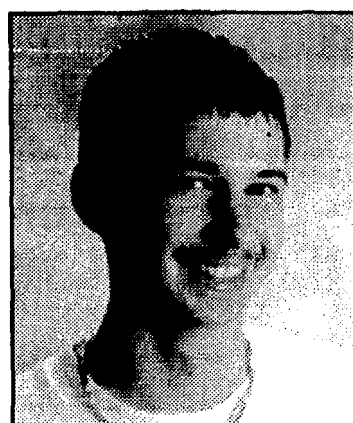
Amber Henning, no response.



Jessica M. Holzbauer, daughter of Clyde and Nadine Holzbauer, plans to attend the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor, where she will major in biology. She hopes to eventually have a job in that field.



Michelle Hopkins, daughter of Michael and Rhonda Hopkins and Debi Hopkins, plans to attend Saginaw Valley State University in Saginaw. Her major is undecided.



Keith Hough, no response.



Kristy Renee Hulbert, daughter of Brian Hulbert and Judy Crandall, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon for her first year of college and then transfer to Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant, where she will major in the liberal arts.



Rachel Hunt, daughter of Douglas and Marilyn Hunt, plans to attend Northern Michigan University in Marquette. Her major is undecided.



Rebecca Hunt, daughter of Douglas and Marilyn Hunt, plans to attend Lake Superior State University in Sault Ste. Marie. Her major is undecided.



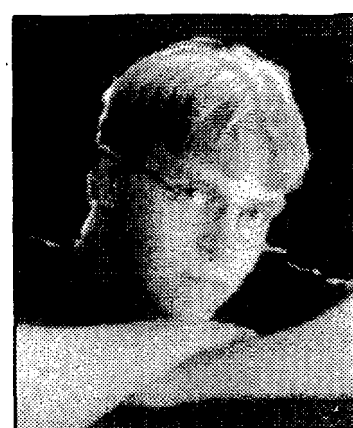
Paul Roger Jansen, son of Sue and Curt Jansen, plans to attend Michigan State University in East Lansing, where he will major in biology. He hopes to have a career in a health related field.



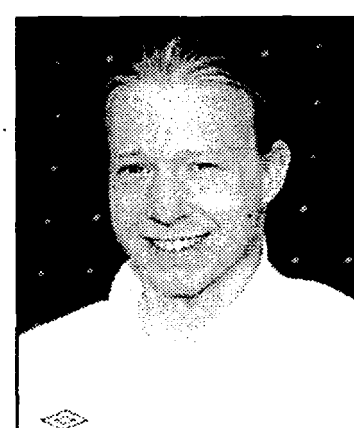
Lindsey A. Knapp, daughter of Margaret and Wally Knapp, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon, where she will major in archaeology. She hopes to be a museum curator.



Nathalie Knepper, no response.



Matthew William Kroell, son of Martin and Marsha Kroell, has enlisted in the United States Navy. His basic training will take place at Great Lakes Naval Air Station in IL. His assignment will be as a mechanist's mate.



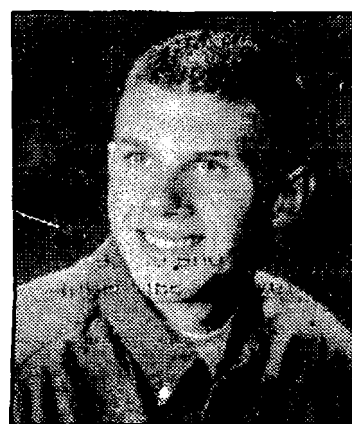
Kyle Langseth, no response.



Lindsay Dayle Lokovich, daughter of Jennifer and Carl Gildner, and David and Cindy Lokovich, plans to attend Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant, where she will major in secondary education. She hopes to be a teacher at the high school level.



Ryan L. Mahaffy, son of Lenny and Tammy Mahaffy, plans to attend Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant. His major is undecided.



Justin Manier, no response



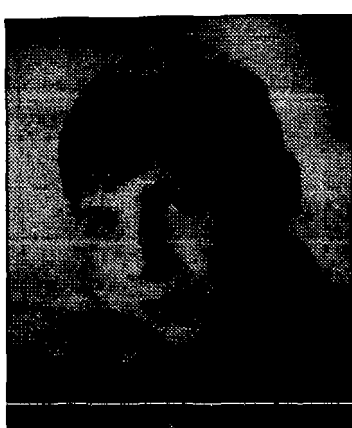
Kira Louise Maples, daughter of Susan and Stephen Maples, plans to attend Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant, where she will major in criminology or theatre. She hopes to become a forensic pathologist or actress.



Marcus Marelich, son of Dennis Marelich and Michele Stanley, plans to attend Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant, where he will major in graphic arts design. He hopes to start his own business.



John Michael McNamara, son of Michael and Beverly McNamara, plans to attend Hillsdale College in Hillsdale, where he will major in biology and/or political science.



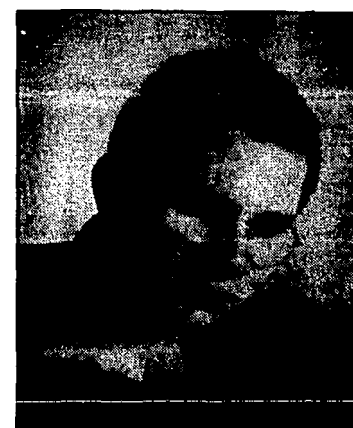
Aaron Christopher Mead, son of Dee and Dora Mead, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon, where he will major in education. He hopes to teach high school history.



Daniel Robert Mead, son of Bob and Patty Mead, plans to attend Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant. His major is undecided.



Meghan Glennis Meyer, daughter of Nancy Meyer and Kirk Meyer, plans to attend Saginaw Valley State University in Saginaw, where she will enter the pre-medicine program. She hopes to be a pediatrician.



Nate Miller, son of Cindy Haranczak and Rick Miller, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon, where he will major in business management. He will also be working at Glen's of Grayling.



Rachel Miller, no response.



Buffy Anne Mills, daughter of Bruce and Sherri Cragg, and Mark and Lori Mills, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon, where she will major in accounting. She will also continue work at AJD Forest Products in Grayling as an accounting clerk, and at the KMart of Grayling.

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Sean Mitchell, son of Sharon and Frank Mitchell, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon. His major is undecided.



Marie Ann Montagne, daughter of Patricia and Steven Montagne, plans to attend the David Pressley Professional School of Cosmetology in Royal Oak, where she will major in cosmetology.



Mike Moon, son of Stephan and Carrie Moon, has enlisted in the U.S. Army to become a Medical Care Specialist. He will report for duty to Fort Benning, Georgia on August 1.



Josh Myers, son of Daniel and Judith Myers, plans to obtain a job from Bill Culhane in Gaylord, where he will be working in construction. He hopes to open his own business in the future.



Annette Marie Nettleton, daughter of Joyce and Bert Nettleton, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon, where she will major in elementary education. She hopes to be a kindergarten teacher.



Danielle Elizabeth Niederer, daughter of Daniel and Bonnie Niederer, plans to attend Grand Valley State University in Allendale. Her major is undecided, but she would like to earn a degree in the medical field.



Heidi Niederer, daughter of Emil and Tish Niederer, and Tim and Patti Coe, plans to attend Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant, where she will major in history and musical theatre.



Danielle Lou Outman, daughter of Barry and Ginger LaForge, and David and Rita Outman, plans to attend Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant. Her major is undecided, but she would like to pursue her education through a master's degree.

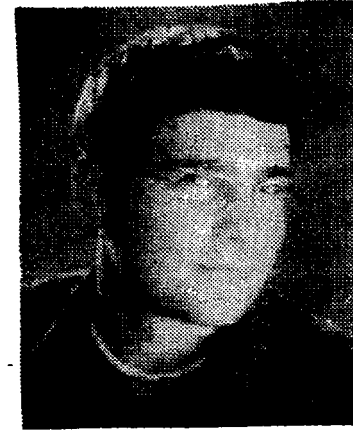
SENIOR



Working hard on the computer, Mike Moon finishes a paper for his english class. Computers became a part of the lives of seniors as the end of the year drew near. (Stacey Kuhn Photo)



Marisa Papendick, no response.



Chris Peters, son of Bob and Jan Peters, plans to attend the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor, where he will major in either astro or acoustic physics.



Joshua Delrie, son of Kay and Dave Petrie, plans to attend the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor, where he will major in one of the sciences.



Joseph M. Pilon, son of Jack and Ruth Pilon, plans to attend Northern Michigan University in Marquette, where he will major in elementary education. He would also like to be involved in politics.



Sean Pooley, son of Thad and Suesan Pooley, has enlisted in the United States Air Force. His basic training will take place at Lackland Air Force Base in Texas. His assignment will be in computer programming. He hopes to become a computer programmer.



Jayme Potter, daughter of Justin and Jodi Potter, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon. Her major is undecided.



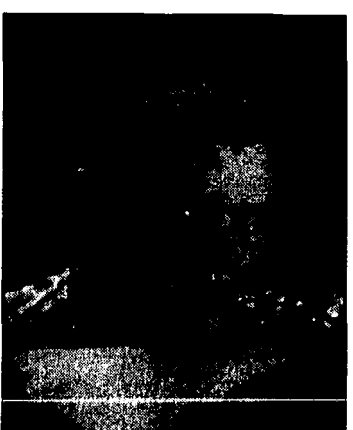
Michael B. Pratt, son of Brian and Kim Pratt, plans to obtain a job at Hal's Masonry in Grayling as a mason. He plans to own his own masonry company.



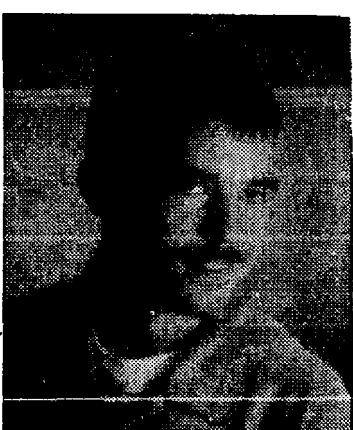
Glenn Price, son of Raymond and Sarah Halstead, has enlisted in the United States Navy. His basic training will take place at Great Lakes Naval Air Station in Illinois. His assignment will be in aircrew survival equipment.



Branden Pyle, son of Raymond Pyle and Kimberly Cullinun, has enlisted in the United States Army. His basic training will take place in Fort Sill, Oklahoma. His assignment will be as a cannon crew-member. He hopes to have a career in computer repair.



Derek Quick, son of Emilee and Rich Dowland, plans to enlist in the National Guard. His basic training will take place in Ft. Jackson, SC.

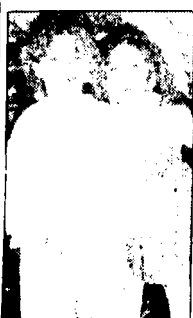


Ryan Richardson, no response.



Jeff Rose, plans to attend either Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant, or Michigan Technological University in Houghton, where he will major in mechanical engineering. He hopes to be a mechanical engineer.

Danielle and Meghan:
Together from the start
Both of you so very smart
About to go a separate way
As you walk together
graduation day



Each other's
cousin,
classmate
and friend
Together till
the very
end.

Love,
Your Family

Congratulations,
Emily, Angela, Michelle
Wakeley Fisher Hopkins
Best of luck in all you do!



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Lance K. Royston, son of Vicki L. Royston, plans to obtain a job from Steve Nelson as a carpenter. He hopes to become a master carpenter. He also plans to travel to northern countries.



Kimberly Taylor Ruley, daughter of Mark and Cheryl Ruley, plans to attend Grand Valley State University in Allendale, where she will major in business management. She hopes to own her own record store.



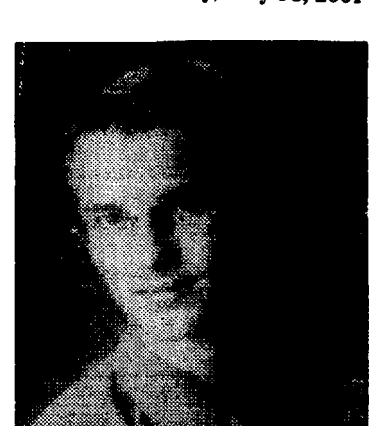
Sonya Jo Desiree Saladine, daughter of Anthony Saladine and Vicky Osborne, plans to attend Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant, where she will major in physical therapy. She hopes to become a physical therapist.



Michelle Marion Salyers, daughter of Mike and Patty Sayers, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon, where she will major in nursing. She also plans to work at the McDonald's of Grayling.



Michelle Sanborn, no response.



Max Schreiner, plans to attend Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo, where he will major in broadcasting. He hopes to become a radio producer. He also plans to travel the world after college.



Gwen Frances Seifert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Seifert, plans to attend Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant, or DePaul University in Chicago, IL. She plans to major in music performance and hopes to become a professor of clarinet.



Ryan Stahl, son of Gail Stahl and Bob Stahl, plans to attend Northwestern Michigan College in Traverse City, where he will enter the pre-medical program. He plans to transfer to LSSU or FSU to continue his education. He hopes to become a radiologist.

SENIORS



Entertaining his fellow students, such as Josh Willette, senior Glenn Price plays his guitar and waits for the few days left of his senior year to be over. "I'm going to miss all of my friends," said Price. "I'm glad they've been able to hear me play." (Kim Ruley Photo)



Michelle Marie Stamper, daughter of Larkin and Darlene Stamper, plans to attend Oakland Community College in West Bloomfield Hills, where she will major in marine biology. She hopes to become a dolphin trainer.



Michelle Stepp, no response.



Joyce Angela Thomas, daughter of Bruce and Irene Thomas, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon, where she will major in social studies and minor in English or science. She hopes to become a middle school teacher.



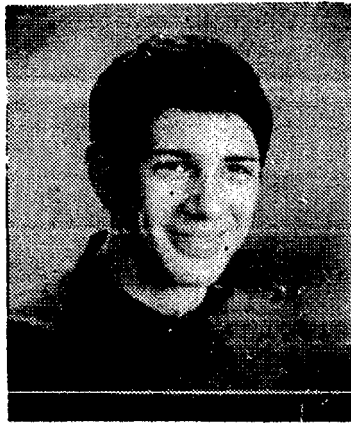
Matthew R. Thomas, son of Karen and Rex Thomas, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon, where he will major in business management. He hopes to own a music company.



Margaret Elizabeth Todoroff, daughter of Charles and Carol Todoroff, plans to obtain a job locally possibly in the food preparation/service field.



Timothy Tubbs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Frisbie, plans to attend the Portland College of Art and Design in Portland, OR, where he will major in commercial design. He hopes to own his own business.



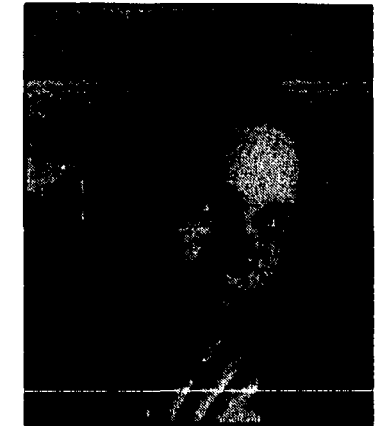
Brad Varda, no response.



Emily Elizabeth Wakeley, daughter of Joe Wakeley and Terri Chott, plans to attend Lansing Community College in Lansing, where she will major in psychology. She hopes to become a forensic psychologist.



Kristi Mae Azildia Wargo, daughter of Michael and Brenda Wargo and Kelly Verlinde, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon, where she will major in nursing to become a registered nurse.



Joshua Willelle, son of Charles Willelle and Gail Thomas, plans to attend the University of South Florida in Sarasota, FL, where he will major in psychology.

Kira Maples!
The day is finally here
Hey, Hollywood!
Hey, Broadway! Look
out here she comes.
Love, Mom & Dad

Congratulations Nicole

Everytime I shut my eyes
I still see that little girl
with her cap on,
graduating from pre-school.
Where did the time go?
We're very proud of your
accomplishments in
academics and in athletics.
Good luck at Alma College
next year and remember to
reach for the stars.
We love you.
Mom, Dad, Justin
Shadow, Gigi, Mischief & Snickers

Congratulations ~ You Did It!

We Love You
Mom and Dad,
Susan,
Janice, Jeff
Sarah and
Elizabeth

Congratulations!
Way to Go! Time to
get new secretaries,
we quit.
Love, Mom, Dad, Andrea,
Amanda, Matt,
and Mitchell



Arica K. Wolcott, daughter of Jeff and Tanya Wolcott, plans to attend Northwood University in Midland, where she will major in business and minor in photography. She hopes to own her own photography studio.



Amber Wyman, no response.



Rocky Xiong, son of Vungsao Xiong and Ah Xiong, plans to attend Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo, where he will enter the pre-dentistry program. He hopes to be successful in the future.



Mandy G. Yoder, daughter of Robert Yoder and Annie Wallace, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon, where she will major in photography. She will also take her state board test to become a Certified Nursing Assistant.



Chris Youngblood, no response.

NOT PICTURED

Tatolha LaChance, daughter of Beri and Butch LaChance, plans to obtain a job and pursue further education later in life.

Michelle Mack, daughter of Marie Spencer and Joel Mack, plans to obtain a job as a pet groomer in Angola, IN. She will be moving to Indiana with her best friend, Dawn Adloff.

Silvio Pellegrini, son of Bart Pellegrini and Silvana Miller, has enlisted in the United States Air Force. His basic training will take place at Lackland AFB, TX. His assignment will be in military intelligence.

Richard Joseph Rowlings III, son of Ronald R. and Amanda C. Lukas, plans to attend Kirtland Community College in Roscommon, where he will major in computer programming. He will be employed at DuBois Lumber.

Jennifer Wheeling, plans to attend Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant. Her major is undecided, but she would like to have a career in the field of science.

SENIORS



Cruising in the stretch limo to the NEMC All-Academic Team luncheon in Tawas, Sonya Saladine, Jessika Abfalter, Jenny Wheeling and Jessica Holzbauer, enjoy the wonderful treats left by the driver. The team consisted of Saladine, Abfalter, Wheeling and Holzbauer, along with Dan Mead, Chris Peters, Kim Ruley, Rachel Hunt, Becky Hunt, Jason Collen, John McNamara and Josh Petrie. They were awarded for their academic excellence. (Kim Ruley Photo)

The Crawford County Avalanche is proud to have been there from the beginning...



Monique Fagan, Kristy Hulbert and Kristi Wargo
1987 Little Miss Pageant Contestants.



Becky Hunt (in rocker), Jillian St. Germain, and Chris Peters in Mrs. Williams class in 1991.



Matt Ginther, Brandon Pyle, Andy Miltenberger, and Cameron McClain Blowing up a pig lung in 1994.



Levi Burket throws to tight end Keil Clough, in a game against Houghton Lake's Bobcats. (2000)

Congratulations to the graduating class 2001...
Thanks for the memories

SENIORS

SENIOR SUPERLATIVES

Longest Legs: Levi Burkett and Lindsay Lokovich
Class Gossip: Justin Manier and Danielle Outman
Shiest: Coty Denewett and Michelle Hopkins
Best Laugh: Chris Youngblood and Mandi Ellis
Best Dancer: William Armstrong and Kira Maples
Friendliest: Nick Baynham and Kristi Wargo
Wittiest: Josh Petrie and Emily Wakeley
Most Tardies: Kyle Langseth and Jennifer Alma
Most Outgoing: Dan Mead and Danielle Outman
Biggest Flirt: Ryan Mahaffy and Danielle Outman
Best Eyes: Ryan Richardson and Danielle Niederer
Best Hair: Josh Petrie and Marisa Papendick
Best Artist: Tim Tubbs and Angela Fisher
Most Unique: Kyle Langseth and Jessica Holzbauer
Best All-Around: Marcus Bobenmoyer and Lindsay Lokovich
Most Intellectual: Josh Petrie and Rebecca Hunt
Best Dressed: Levi Burkett and Emily Wakeley
Best Musician: Chris Peters and Gwen Seifert
Best Actor/Actress: Joe Pilon and Heidi Niederer
Smart Aleck: Nate Everson and Angela Fisher
Biggest Brown-Noser: Justin Manier and Jessika Abfalter
Sweetest: Marcus Bobenmoyer and Lindsay Lokovich
Most Spirited: Dan Mead and Kristi Wargo
Most Creative: Silvio Pellegrini and Angela Fisher
Trendsetter: Chris Youngblood and Danielle Niederer
Most Generous: Jeff Rose and Meghan Meyer
Most Dependable: Dave Golnick and Rebecca Hunt
Most Talented: Chris Peters and Gwen Seifert
Most Muscular: Victor CdeBaca and Jayme Potter
Most Likely to Succeed: Josh Petrie and Sonya Saladine
Hardest Worker: John McNamara and Rebecca Hunt
Best Smile: Ryan Richardson and Danielle Niederer
Best Athlete: Brad Gorski and Kristy Hulbert
Cutest Couple: Mike D'Amour and Arica Wolcott
Class Clown: Dan Mead and Danielle Outman
Favorite Teacher: Mr. Lachenbucher and Mrs. Stone



Preparing herself for a career in business, Buffy Mills spent most of her senior year in the business rooms at GHS. (Kim Ruley Photo)



Walking around before practice was to start for the fall musical, Joe Pilon was ready to get out of school for the last time. "I'm going to miss this place, but I'm so ready to be out of here," said Pilon. (Kim Ruley Photo)

Congratulations Lance Royston

Lance -

You have grown into such a wonderful young man, I am so proud of who you have become.



Thank you for being such a special part of my life, I can't imagine life without you. I love you son.

- Mom



Dear Emily,
 Just 12 Years ago you were so excited about 1st grade. Now you are ready to graduate and move on to new challenges and adventures.



We love you and hope all your dreams come true.

Love,
 Mom & John



Gwen ~

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Wishing you
 continued
 success.

Love
 Mom & Dad



Standing around waiting for the bell to ring, Amber Wyman was truly happy that her senior year was almost over. "I've had so much fun, but seriously I need to get out of here," said Wyman. (Kim Ruley Photo)



As the end of his senior year approached, Ryan Stahl was a frequent visitor to Mrs. Bisballe's computer classroom. The computer teachers were very understanding about the senior class's need to use the computers to finish papers and projects. (Kim Ruley Photo)

**Congratulations to all the
 Graduates of 2001!**

CELLULARONE



Marcus,
 How fast we grow.
 Thanks for making us
 proud of you.

Love Grandma Bubbles
 Grandpa Jack

Congratulations Jayme Potter
 & The Class of 2001



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Stay motivated,
 remain calm, and
 most of all...

**KEEP
 SMILIN'**



**Kimberly
 Taylor Ruley**



From Preschool Storytime to 15th in your high school graduating class, you have made us so very proud! Congratulations, honey, you have conquered so much. Keep being your own person and thinking for yourself and you can't go wrong!
 Love, Mom, Dad and Karyn



Congratulations Sonya!

Sonya,
Your achievements over the last twelve years have been more than any parent could ask for. There is no parent more proud of his or her child than I am of you. May the future bring more of the same for you. Good Luck!
Love, Dad



Brad Gorski

Brad...you are a wonderful son and brother - thank you for all of the joy you have brought into our lives. We are proud of you and we love you!!
Love, Mom, Dad & Laura



Today is the day I have to say good-bye to all the people I have become friends with over the years. I would share with you one of those, "I remember back in 4th grade" stories with you, but I didn't move here until 7th grade and I didn't have many friends then. I will be sharing with you however, some things that have been on my mind for the four years I have attended Grayling High School.

All you out there may not agree with what I have to say, but I figure it's my turn to say what I want to say.

I would like to let all of the "I'm cooler than you" people out there know that there are no people better than anyone else in this school. The people you've made fun of are probably the same people who let you copy their homework. Just because someone isn't an athlete, doesn't mean they aren't worthy of your time and friendship. I know this from true experience. I spent most of my time in high school; worried that one of the popular kids wasn't going to like me. I realize now how much of a waste of time that was. I say to all of the people

who got made fun of, stand up for yourself; all the people who made fun of you will probably be working for you one of these days anyway.

I would like to say thank you to all of the people whom I have become friends with. You have given me the courage to become who I am. I will never forget any of you guys, no matter how many times you try to tell me that I will. We've had good times and bad times, but because of true friendship, because you never cared that I might not be "cool" enough for you to be seen with in public, we got through the bad times and came through with an even stronger friendship. To all my friends whom I'm just now getting to know, I wish I would have had the guts to talk to you sooner. We're all going to hang out this summer right?

I would like to apologize to any of the people I've ever made fun of. I never meant it, I was just trying to be cool, to get the approval of the "higher ups". You will all be successful people one of these days, and it'll be cool to see you on the TV and say "Hey I went to school with him or her." Be

strong, and try to ignore people who make fun of you. Once they realize that their "burns" aren't affecting you, they'll shut up.

To all the teachers out there, thank you for putting up with me and teaching me the lessons I will need to know for the rest of my life. Without your dedication, I would have never made it this far. Mr. Klinger, if you receive a copy of this issue of the Avalanche, I would like to thank you most of all. Without you guiding me through my 7th grade year, I probably would not be sitting here writing my senior farewell piece for newspaper. You believed in me and helped me through the tough time I was having. It's because of you that I have been accepted to Grand Valley State University; if you wouldn't have made me try I never would have gotten to where I'm at.

To my mother and father, thank you and I love you. I'm going to miss your guidance and hope that when I am on my own at college and in life I will be able to remember the many lessons you have taught me.

The many hours on musicals, soccer games,

"I know this from true experience. I spent most of my time in high school, worried that one of the popular kids wasn't going to like me. I realize now how much of a waste of time that was."

basketball games, tennis matches, football games and dances have all been a blast and I'm going to carry those memories with me for the rest of my life. To all the underclassmen; have fun in high school, don't party, pay attention to your grades and always remember that high school isn't life; life is what happens when you graduate.

Well, that's probably all the rambling of mine you'll be able to take, but I'd like to say to all my fellow graduates, **GOOD LUCK AND I HOPE TO SEE YOU IN THE FUTURE!**

- Kim Ruley



~ CONGRATULATIONS ~

DAVE

GOLNICK



You have worked hard, and we are proud of all your accomplishments. Keep up the good work and you'll go far!
With Love - Mom, Dad, Sarah and Bill

NO MATTER WHAT'S AHEAD, WE'RE BEHIND YOU ALL THE WAY.

From here there are many different roads open to you. We wish you great success on the one you choose. Congratulations.

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CONGRATULATIONS! MICHAEL & TABITHA
We are very proud of you. Good luck in the future.

Love,
Your Families

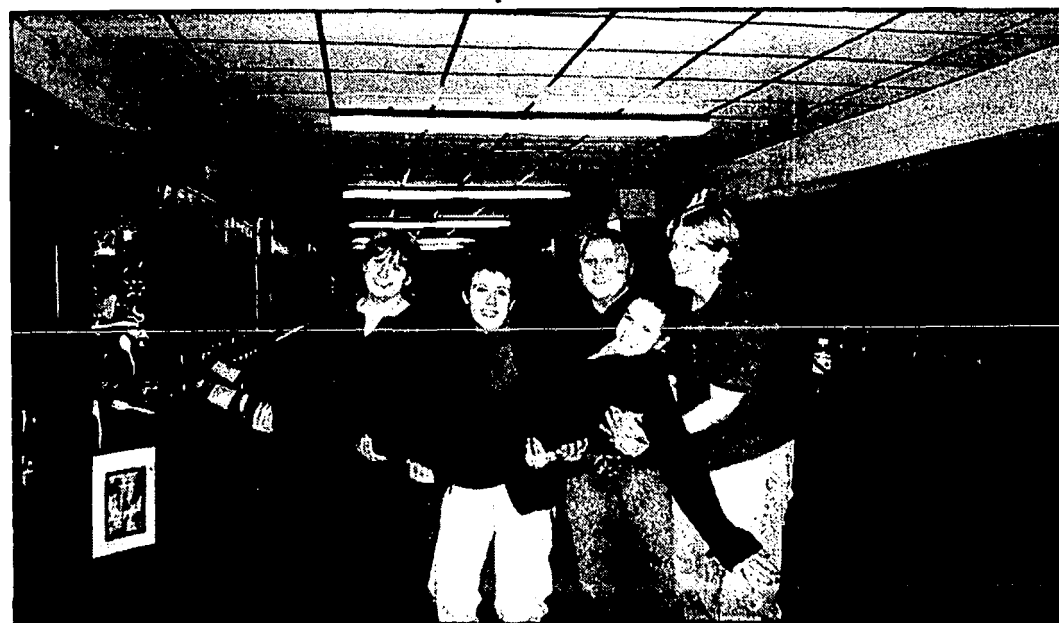


As one chapter of your life ends, a new one begins. Congratulations, Derek! We are all proud of you and wish you luck in all things to come.
Love, Mom, Dad, and Janelle

Congratulations on a job well done! We love you "Care-Bear"



Mom, Dad & Kristie
Good luck at Lake Stale



MUSIC and the SENIORS

Music has played an important role in the Class of 2001. From local bands to the GHS Concert Band receiving perfect scores and members of the band performing as state soloists. The GHS Choirs performing a madrigal dinner and the GHS Players performing Broadway quality musicals like *42nd Street* and *Anything Goes*, the members of the Class of 2001 are musically inclined.

Freebird

Lyrics written by: Allen Collins - Ronnie VanZant

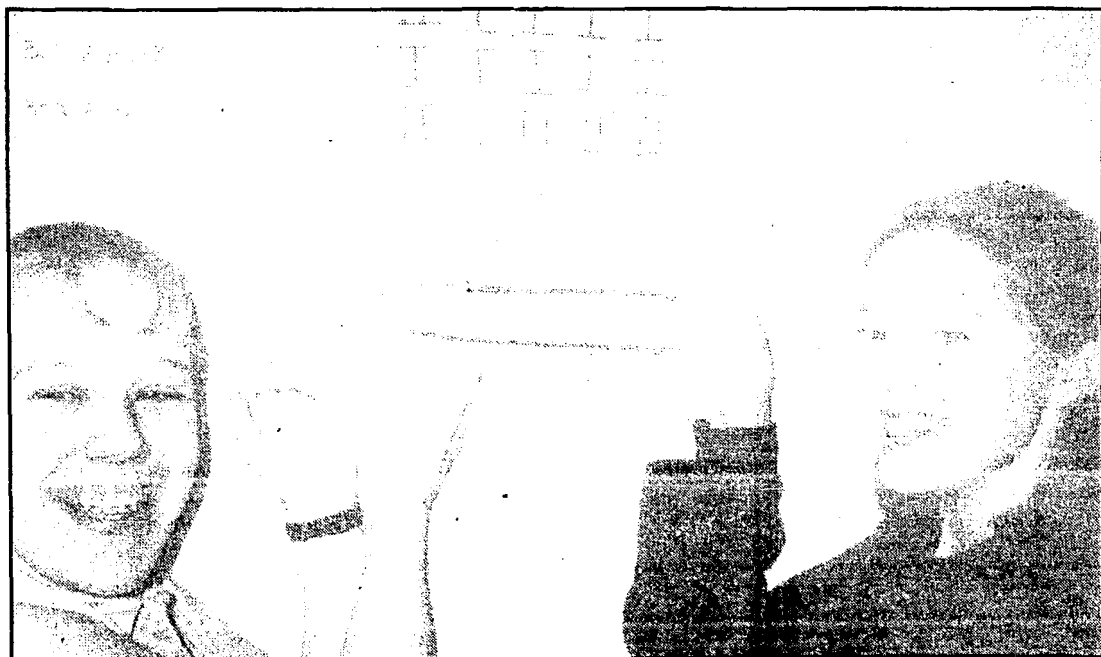
If I leave here tomorrow
Would you still remember me?
For I must be travelling on, now,
'Cause there's too many places I've got to see.
But, if I stayed here with you, girl,
Things just couldn't be the same.
'Cause I'm as free as a bird now,
And this bird you can not change.
Lord knows, I can't change.

Bye, bye, its been a sweet love.
Though this feeling I can't change.
But please don't take it badly,
'Cause Lord knows I'm to blame.
But, if I stayed here with you girl,
Things just couldn't be the same.
Cause I'm as free as a bird now,
And this bird you'll never change.
And this bird you can not change.
Lord knows, I can't change.
Lord help me, I can't change.



Playing bass and guitar, Josh Petrie and Jeff Rose, are a huge part of the local band, *The Murphys*. The band has played for assemblies and also at the Kirtland Community College "Battle of the Bands." The band is made up of all seniors including Petrie, Rose, Chris Peters, Chris Burden and Chase Barnett. Most of the money that the band raises goes to local charities, like the Rialto Theatre Restoration Fund, which *The Murphys* will be raising money for on June 8th at the Rialto Theatre. (Kim Ruley Photo)

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Senior musicians Michelle Stepp and Gwen Seifert proudly display the "straight I's" score the Grayling High School Concert Band received at State Festival held at Benzie Central High School on April 28. (Viking Band Boosters Photo)

Jory,
From the first day of school to the last.....

2001

It's been a blast!
Thanks for just being YOU!
Love ya,
Your Family

To my beautiful daughter,

There are not enough words to adequately describe how extremely proud I am of you, Although I think you already know.

I love you more!!

Mom

Congratulations
Ryan Stahl

Believe in yourself, set goals & work hard to achieve them. Have fun, be creative & express your feelings. Be sensitive & believe that you are an important part of everyone's life that you touch. I am so very proud of you, son.

Love,
Mom

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To My Daughter, Jillian St. Germain


"You were always the Independent one,
The one who knew who she was & where she was going,
The one to follow her dreams ...
Your talent & dedication shine brightly in your accomplishments."
Your Horizons are Limitless ...

Congratulations on your Graduation from Interlochen Arts Academy
I am so very proud of you.
Love Always, Mom



Joyce Angela ~
Our angel. You are the best thing that ever happened to us. We have watched you grow from a beautiful baby into a strong, intelligent, beautiful, independent young woman. We could not be prouder. Follow your dreams and you will go far. Most of all, we wish you happiness.

*All our Love,
Congratulations, honey.
Daddy, Mom & Tony*




CONGRATULATIONS

to the

GRADUATING CLASS OF 2001



Designed by senior Marcus Marelich, the senior t-shirt for the Class of 2001 included the numeral "2001" with the signatures of every class member inside of it. This idea was widely accepted and was voted on by the class. Marelich was also instrumental in the design of the t-shirts worn by the seniors at the Powderpuff football game during Homecoming week. (Design by Marcus Marelich)



Levi,

You're the Most Valuable Player in the world. Thanks for the years of entertainment! We are very proud of the young man you've become. We know this is only the beginning of the things you can accomplish. Be happy and be true to yourself.

Love, Mom and Dad

CONTRIBUTORS

To honor the Grayling High School Class of 2001, *The Crawford County Avalanche* and area businesses have supported the annual commemorative senior keepsake edition during commencement week.

This edition was produced by *Norsemen* staff members Kim Ruley and Stacey Kuhn, with the advising of Ms. Sandners, who is filling in for Mrs. Meredith Anderson who recently had a baby.

We would like to thank all the wonderful people in the front office, the hall monitors and janitorial staff for letting us into the Pub and Auto CAD labs after school, the administrative staff at GHS and the staff at *The Crawford County Avalanche*.

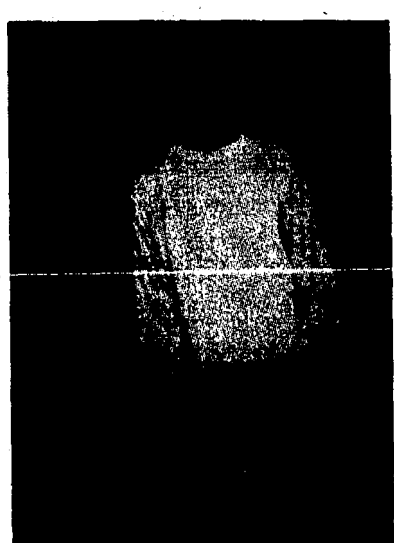
~ Senior Edition Staff ~



After being crowned Prom Queen, Michelle Hopkins dances with her date, Chris Peters. This year's prom, *Une Danse Finale*, was held at Skyline Ski Resort and Country Club. The Prom King was Glenn Price. (Alexis Sumner Photo)

To Our Son Justin Manier
and his fellow classmates...

May your goals be fulfilled, your journey safe, and may you always be happy.

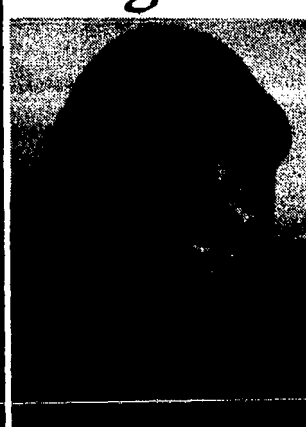


With all our love
Dad & Mom

Open House June 23
5 p.m. ~ Officers Club
Music from 7:30-11:30
Friends Invited!



Congratulations Tabitha




Here's wishing you
a lifetime of
Good Hair Days.

From All
Your Friends
at
Heads Up North

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Congratulations Class of 2001



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